

CHANGES CONTEMPLATED AT JUBILEE HOSPITAL

Board Proposes to Put Management of Institution
Under Business Man—Need of Great Care
in Financial Arrangements.

There is an upheaval going on at the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. The finances of the institution have for a long time past been in a very unsatisfactory condition, and the present board of management are determined to have them improved. Some months ago a committee under the chairmanship of R. S. Day commenced investigations and the result of their labors was incorporated in a report which was presented at a private meeting of the board held on Monday last.

The report of the committee has not been made public, but the meeting was adjourned until last night when the discussion was again continued. At that meeting Secretary Elworthy, who had been requested to do so by the committee, submitted a report dealing with the condition of affairs.

At the present time the resident physician is also the business manager, and he is responsible both for the steward's department and for the collection of the fees payable by the patients. It was shown at the meeting that in many cases the fees, even from private rooms, were never paid. The rooms if occupied all the time should have produced a revenue last year of \$33,000, but the amount actually collected was only \$26,000, the difference being enough to have provided many necessary improvements. There was shown arrears for the rooms of \$22,000, all of which should have been collected.

There were other criticisms made such as the large cost of the upkeep of the doctor's house and of the steward's department in the hospital itself. It was shown that the increased cost to the hospital since Dr. Hassell had been given a separate house amounted to \$600 a year, and that there were also needless expenses in connection with a chicken ranch and vegetable garden. That the continual drain could not continue was the opinion of the whole board. They were quite unanimous on this point.

The plan of the directors is to appoint a business manager who shall relieve Dr. Hassell of the financial duties which now appertain to the office, thus allowing him to give all his time to his duties as physician. The business manager will be supreme in his department and will have complete charge of the collection of accounts and of the steward's department. A competent steward was appointed last night and this man will report direct to the business manager when appointed. At the meeting held last night Secretary Elworthy was offered the business management of the institution, but he refused to give a decision until he had talked the matter over with Dr. Hassell who is out of town and who will not return for a week. In the meantime the matter is being left in abeyance.

The directors were very outspoken in their dissatisfaction with the present condition of affairs. It was shown that while the Victoria hospital has lost through non-collection the sum of \$22,000, the Vancouver hospital had in the same manner, only \$50. This money would be most useful in improving the place. The hospital is solvent,

put upon them by the addition of surface water might prove a very serious thing.

Mr. Topp referred to the report made by Mr. Herrington, the New York engineer, who several years ago reported on a sewer system for Victoria. He had stated that in the downtown section such surface water would do no damage, but it should not be allowed in the outside sections.

In Mr. Topp's opinion, were the City Council to strictly enforce the regulations and prohibit the use of sewers for any surface water, it might necessitate a large expenditure on additional surface drains. But some relief would be given to the situation just as soon as the surface drainage system now nearly completed was put in service.

PRINCE OF WALES OPENS NAVAL HARBOR

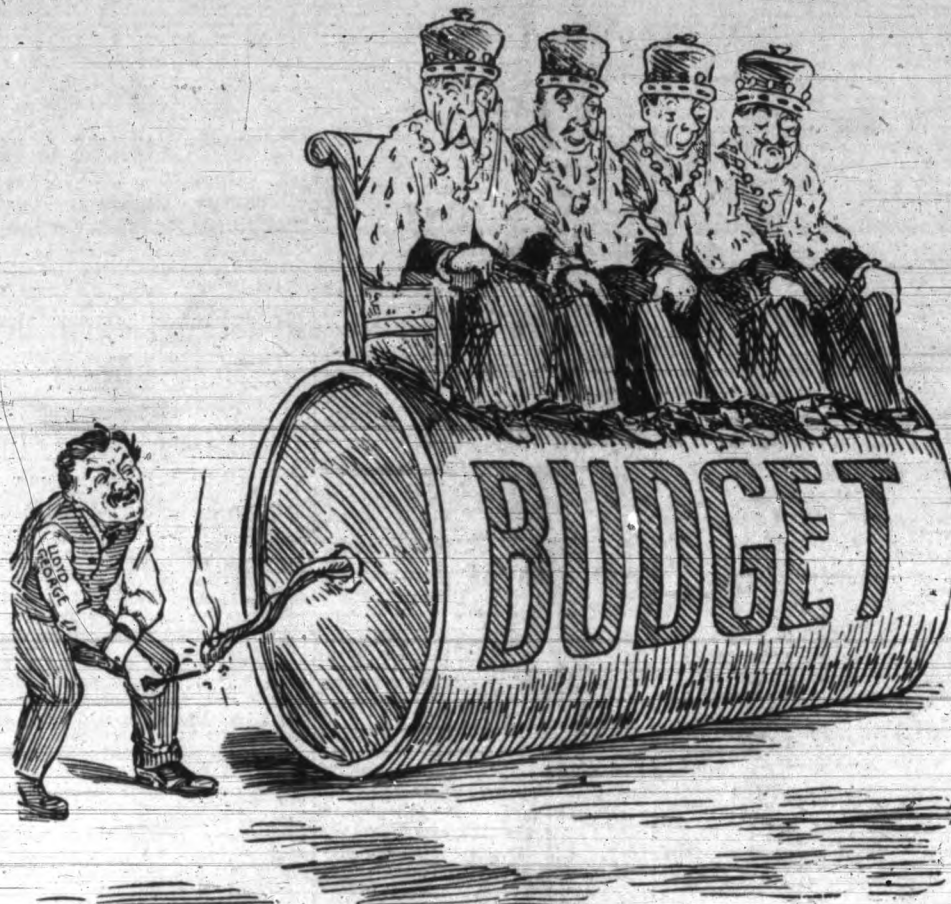
Work at Dover, Which Has
Cost Nearly \$20,000,000,
Almost Completed.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Dover, England, Oct. 16.—The naval harbor, which has been in the course of construction here for 11 years and has cost about \$20,000,000, was formally opened yesterday by the Prince of Wales.

The harbor comprises an area of nearly 700 acres, formerly covered by the open sea, but to which the biggest Dreadnoughts may now have access at all times.

DROPS PROTEST.

Almonte, Ont., Oct. 16.—The protest of T. B. Caldwell, of Lennox, against W. Thoburn, M.P. for North Lanark, has been dropped.



AN ANXIOUS MOMENT.

SPANISH CABINET APPEARS DOOMED

LIBERALS ARE IN
CONTROL OF CORTEZ

Legislators Hurl Inkstands at
Each Other During Stormy
Session.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Hendaye, Spain, Oct. 16.—The fall of the Spanish cabinet apparently can be averted but a short while. This, at least, is the prediction of persons arriving here to-day from Madrid, who say that the opening session of the Cortez yesterday demonstrated that the Liberals were in full control.

If this be true, it is generally believed that the Liberals will force the members of the present cabinet to resign.

According to news reaching here, yesterday's session of the Cortez was the stormiest held in years, and the meeting practically ended in a lull for all night.

The session had hardly been called to order before trouble started. As the meeting progressed the he was frequently passed and a riot was soon started among the assemblymen. Laying aside all dignity, the legislators hurled inkstands at each other's heads, and many duels are expected to be fought as a result of the meeting.

In the event of the overthrow of the present cabinet, General Weyler most probably will be named as the new premier. He has been an active member of the Liberal party.

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SIR F. BORDEN IS VINDICATED

SENTENCE PASSED
IN EYEOPENER CASE

W. M. Carruthers Must Pay
\$100 or Serve Six Months
in Jail.

(Special to the Times.)
Kentville, N. S., Oct. 16.—To pay a fine of \$100 or in default serve six months' imprisonment, with seven days in which to pay the fine, was the verdict handed down to-day by Judge Drysdale upon W. M. Carruthers, in the celebrated case of King vs. Carruthers, arising out of the distribution of copies of the Eyeopener containing alleged libellous statements regarding Sir Frederick Borden.

The court house was crowded this morning when sentence was delivered. The judge said that others were behind Carruthers, and he is not the only culprit, therefore the sentence would be light.

Pays Fine.
Kentville, N. S., Oct. 16.—(Later.)—Carruthers paid the fine and is at liberty.

CASUALTIES ON TRANSCONTINENTAL ROAD

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Oct. 16.—The toll of death in construction work on the National Transcontinental railway during the last fiscal year was 68 killed and 20 seriously injured. The fatalities were mostly caused by dynamite explosions.

VICTORIA LEADS IN FINANCES

CLEARING HOUSE
RETURNS VERY HIGH

Increases Exceed All Other
Centres, Giving City Proud
Position

The abounding prosperity of this city and the large though quiet expansion of business here is strikingly shown in the clearing house returns for the week ending October 9th.

For that period this city had the highest percentage of increases of any city in the Dominion, leading them all with a percentage of 87.2, several points higher than its nearest competitor, and nearly forty per cent. ahead of the next city.

The returns as just prepared, are as follows:

	Oct. 8, 1908.	Oct. 7, 1909.	Pct.
Montreal	\$32,750,584	\$47,721,890	44.2
Toronto	28,494,591	32,851,219	24.1
Winnipeg	15,290,519	22,090,140	44.4
Vancouver	4,208,025	7,746,986	84.05
Ottawa	3,567,597	3,827,930	7.2
Quebec	2,477,507	2,910,264	17.4
Hamilton	1,691,208	1,999,469	18.2
Halifax	1,582,443	2,147,514	35.7
St. John	1,622,928	1,673,120	3.09
Calgary	1,395,150	2,099,492	50.4
London	1,260,015	1,302,700	3.3
Victoria	895,481	1,733,558	87.2
Edmonton	810,253	917,045	13.1
Total	\$95,119,211	\$129,070,477	35.6
Regina		798,440	

The splendid showing of the city is already attracting attention from the financial institutions of the Dominion, and it is stated that the recent advent of the Dominion bank to Victoria is to be closely followed by that of at least two other banks. Both of these are Eastern institutions. A third was negotiating for a Government street site for two or three months this summer, but when they were unable to obtain the location they desired they decided to defer their opening here until another site was obtainable.

EXPORT LUMBER TRADE IMPROVES

Big Plants in State of Washington Will Resume Operations.

Port Gamble, Wash., Oct. 16.—After four months of inactivity, the first period in which the machinery has been idle since the construction of the mill in 1853, the big lumber plant of the Puget Mill Company here is to resume operations next week.

Since the closing of the mill, which cuts for the cargo trade, the condition of the coastwise and foreign lumber market has improved materially, and the Port Ludlow mill, also operated by this company, has been kept in operation night and day. The Port Gamble plant will now be operated on a double time schedule also.

Word has been received here from Bellingham to the effect that the big Bellingham Bay Lumber Company would resume operations soon, after nearly two years of idleness.

The resumption of these cargo mills is taken as a sign of reviving prosperity in the lumber trade.

D. D. MANN'S EYE IS ON VANCOUVER ISLAND

Great Railway King Tells The Times of Great
Future for This Section of Province—
Ready to Build Steel Plant.

"I have studied with a very special interest the strategic position of

Vancouver Island on the Pacific seaboard in connection with the transportation problem and can appreciate to the full the aspirations of the people of the island to secure rail connection with the mainland. That aspiration is a legitimate and logical one.

"The Canadian Northern is coming to the coast by grades which I think will be lower than those possessed by any rival line. While the route for the main line has been determined, I am approaching with an open mind the question of the building of branch lines.

"Yes, you ought to have steel and iron works on Vancouver Island. If they are not established when our line reaches the coast I will build them myself.

"This island is a wonderfully rich one. The day is not far distant when you will have a population of one million people on the island."

The above are some points from an interview accorded a representative of the Times by D. D. Mann, the famous railway builder of the firm of MacKenzie & Mann, of the Canadian Northern, at the Empress hotel this

ly be delayed for any great length of time.

"A great deal has been said about the great timber wealth of the province and particularly of the timber resources of Vancouver Island, but I am sure your people do not commence to realize to the full what the future holds for you in the development of that wealth by supplying the demand for timber in the prairie provinces.

"Why, do you realize, for instance, that among the million homesteads in the prairies to-day there is not a tree or a shrub fit for any use; that there is not a stick of timber even for firewood, and that there are no stones even to take its place? See what an inexhaustible market there is for your timber there.

"When our road has reached the coast we shall haul no empty cars back on the eastern run, I can tell you. By the time we have opened the line to the coast we shall have 5,000 miles of track in the prairie provinces—as many miles as the C. P. R., if not more. To-day we are operating 3,500 miles of track in the wheat-growing area. So you see we shall be in a position to distribute among the people of that section your products from the province—your fruit, your fish and

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D. D. MANN, VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY.

morning, Mr. Mann reached the city last evening from Vancouver.

Meeting Premier.

"I have an appointment with Premier McBride at 12 o'clock. Until I have ascertained his views in respect to railway enterprises which are pending, I don't know that I can say what I think of the plans of the Canadian Northern Railway Company for this province. I can say this much, however. Our main line from the prairies to the coast has been located. We believe we will have lower grades than any other transcontinental line through the mountains. We purpose following a water route—the easiest of all routes. This line runs west from Edmonton through the Yellowhead Pass to Cranberry Lake, which is the summit of the divide, thence down the North Thompson river to the Fraser river, and by the south bank of the latter to the coast. We have survey parties now in the field working in both directions from Cranberry Lake.

"In respect to possible branch lines which the company may build in this province, I can say that we are prepared to give full consideration to the claims of Vancouver Island for rail connection with the mainland. As you may suppose, our company has had for a long time full information respecting the strategic position of the island in respect to the transportation problem in this section of the Dominion, and you can rest assured that any feasible scheme has not escaped our notice.

"Our plans for railway building in this province naturally depends upon the attitude of the provincial government towards such enterprise, and until I have had an opportunity of ascertaining the views of Premier McBride and his colleagues it would be premature for me to say what may be the policy of our company.

Riches of Island.

"You may say this, however. This Vancouver Island is an immense district of wonderful richness in resources, and the hope of the people to benefit from railway construction is not only a most natural aspiration, but one the fulfillment of which can hardly

HEADS OF TWO REPUBLICS MEET

TAFT AND DIAZ
EXCHANGE GREETINGS

Border Towns Celebrate the
Visit of the Pres
idents.

(Times Leased Wire.)

El Paso, Texas, Oct. 16.—President Taft of the United States and President Diaz of Mexico met and exchanged expressions of good will to-day while the bands and the cannon of the two great republics joined their echoes across the Rio Grande.

The modern business blocks of El Paso, as well as the adobe front of the old Juarez across the river are festooned with American and Mexican flags entwined. All the business houses of the two border towns are closed for the holiday and the celebration which began early in the morning when the Mexican president reached Juarez in his magnificent private car, will not close until Mr. Taft returns this evening from the banquet given in his honor by President Diaz, and is escorted to the railway station for the resumption of his transcontinental journey.

President Diaz, surrounded by his staff of officers in gold lace, himself wearing a uniform gorgeous with precious metal and glittering orders, was met at the American approach to the international bridge by Secretary of War Dickinson, Brigadier-General Meyer and Governor Campbell of Texas, had brought with him from Fort Sam Houston, batteries A, B and C of the third field artillery, two squadrons of the third cavalry and the entire ninth infantry. Artillery and cav-

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ILLEGITIMATE USE OF SEWERS

ALDERMAN STEWART
MAKES A COMPLAINT


Charges That in Many Cases
Connections Are Made for
Surface Drainage.

That some building contractors and householders are given to the practice of making an illegitimate use of the sewerage system of the city was the hint conveyed to members of the streets, sewers and bridges committee of the City Council by Alderman Stewart at the regular weekly meeting last evening. He said he had information to the effect that a large number of residences in the city had made connections with the sewers so as to carry off surface water, particularly rain water, and he wanted to know from the city engineer if the latter knew such to be the case.

Mr. Topp said he was aware that in a number of cases such connections had been made with the sewer.

Several of the aldermen thought this a most serious matter. It seemed strange that such a thing could be in view of the fact that all connections have to be passed upon by the plumbing inspector.

Ald. Stewart said the property owners had a way of getting around the plumbing inspector. He knew of cases where surface connections were made with the sewer just as soon as the plumbing inspector's back had been turned. The serious part of the thing was that the capacity of the sewer mains in some sections was already overtaxed, and to have a further load



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RUMOR OF ALFONSO'S DEATH NOT CONFIRMED

Spanish Embassy in London Discredits Report From Madrid.

(Times Leased Wire.) Paris, Oct. 15.—An unconfirmed report of the origin of which could not be traced, was circulated to-day saying that King Alfonso had been assassinated at Madrid. The Spanish embassy denied the story.

Not Credited. London, Oct. 16.—No confirmation has been received here of the report that King Alfonso has been assassinated at Madrid. As no information has reached the Spanish embassy here to that effect the report is not credited.

Spanish Protest. Paris, Oct. 15.—An open rupture of the diplomatic relations between France and Spain is imminent to-day as the result of Spain's protest against the action of a number of city authorities in France who ordered that public buildings be draped in crepe in honor of the memory of Francisco Ferrer, who was executed in Fortress Montjuich at Barcelona on Monday, following his conviction of inciting riots.

ATTEMPTED MURDER.

(Special to the Times.) Skagway, via Seattle, Oct. 16.—Enraged with jealous passion, inflamed with drink, Henry H. Boardman entered the lobby of the Fifth Avenue hotel last night, walked up to Reginald Stewart, placed a revolver against his neck and fired. Boardman then ran outside and attempted to commit suicide. Boardman will probably live, but the right of both eyes, Stewart is partially paralyzed but will recover. Boardman alleges Stewart was intimate with his wife and had broken up his family. Boardman and Stewart lived at Dawson until last June, when Boardman was sent out on a charge of threatening to kill his wife.

PASSENGERS LANDED.

C.P.R. Steamer Athabasca is Still Firm on Rocks.

(Special to the Times.) Toronto, Oct. 16.—The Canadian Pacific steamer Athabasca is still on the rocks at Flaming, Pat Island. Fifty men are lighterage her so she can be released. They failed to-day to move her. All passengers' effects will follow them to their homes.

—Mrs. Charles A. Booz (nee Henry) will be at home to her friends at 530 Menzies street on the third and fourth Thursdays of each month.

—Voters are registering very slowly for the forthcoming municipal elections. Up to last evening only 240 had made registration under the household and license-holder qualifications at Mr. Northcott's office at the city hall. Registration can be made until the end of the month. Last year 1,545 license and householders were on the list.

—In a political article appearing in last evening's Times an error occurred. The sentence, "The railway policy which Mr. Oliver outlined in his speech at Victoria on Tuesday evening last has met with hearty approval throughout the country and in particular it finds favor with the people of Vancouver," should have read "with the people of Vancouver Island."

—An Orange Lodge was organized at Duncan on Friday evening by J. W. Whiteley, provincial organizer. Following is a list of the officers elected for the ensuing term: W. M., W. J. Hagah; D. M., R. H. Whidden; Chap. Rev. F. G. Christmas; Sec., J. Somerville; Treas., Jas. Murchie; D. of Cer., H. F. Armstrong; Lect., Jos. Mottishaw.

—The death occurred this morning at St. Joseph's hospital of J. B. Grives, at the age of 65 years. He was a native of Ontario and for the past two years had been employed in connection with the Courtenay-Skene brick works near Sidney. His body has been removed to the Victoria Undertaking Parlor. A son, living in Parks Falls, has been communicated with, after which the funeral will be arranged.

BERNIER TO GO TO NORTH POLE

WILL CLAIM ALL LAND FOR CANADA

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Says Expedition Will Leave Next Spring.

(Times Leased Wire.) Ottawa, Oct. 16.—At the close of an address by Capt. Bernier before the Canadian Club this afternoon, describing his last trip north on the steamer Arctic, Sir Wilfrid Laurier declared that next spring the government would send Bernier in the Arctic to the north again, with permission to go right to the North Pole and claim all lands for Canada lying north of the present known lands.

COMMONWEALTH TO TAKE OVER TERRITORY

Bill Passes Its Second Reading in Federal House.

(Special to the Times.) Melbourne, Oct. 16.—In the federal house of representatives the bill providing for taking over of the northern territory by the Commonwealth was read a second time. Premier Deakin said that if Australians put down and confessed their incapacity to cope with quiet half of Australia, how could they on broad human lines resist the proposal that some other nation should settle and develop that territory?

BORN. CULLIN—At Victoria, B. C., on Friday, October 15th, the wife of Capt. H. J. Rous Cullin, bursar of the University School, of a daughter.

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DINING ROOM—Ex. table, 6 oak chairs, up, in leather; Morris chair, cane chair, clock, fender, and fire irons, boot box, paper rack, rug, dinner set, crockery, carpet, etc.

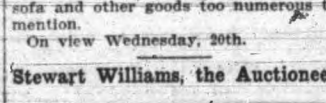
KITCHEN—Very good range (nearly new), kitchen table, oil stove, kitchen chairs, cooking utensils, carpet sweeper, brooms, copper boiler, tub and wringer, bowls, meat safe, sealers, sewing machine, step ladder, mowing machine (new), heater, a quantity of piping (new), a lot of carpenter tools, wheelbarrow, garden hose and couplings, good washing machine, etc.

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—Prominent visitors to Victoria, during the week were W. S. Morris, of the India Civil Service, and L. Curtis, of Johannesburg, South Africa. Both gentlemen are on furlough, and chose to spend their vacation in Canada. During the tour, which has extended from the Atlantic to the Pacific, they have spent much time in ascertaining public sentiment upon questions of important interest. They left for the Mainland en route to Montreal yesterday.

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HARBOR MASTER MAKES COMPLAINT

DEPOSITS OF REFUSE
ON THE WATERFRONT

Council Orders Investigation as to City's Jurisdiction in Matter.

At last evening's meeting of the streets committee of the city council, Mayor Hall said he had had a complaint from the harbor master, Captain Clarke in reference to the fact that the city engineer had been depositing refuse in the water at Bridge street. The saw mills were also depositing saw dust and slabs along the shore. This tended to pollute the harbor.

Mr. Topp explained that he had already abandoned the practice which Capt. Clarke complained of. And after some debate respecting the complaint about the milling companies it was decided to refer the matter to the solicitor so as to report as to the city's jurisdiction.

A number of the aldermen were of the opinion that the city should not allow ground to be made on the waterfront by the milling companies, depositing quantities of sawdust and other refuse on low ground. The danger from fire was thought to be very great, to say nothing of the nuisance which might be created by the decomposition of the heap.

The question of lateral connections was again brought up at the request of City Engineer Topp, who asked for instructions when preparing specifications for all works of permanent street improvements. He wanted to know if it was the wish of the board that he should make calculations for the cost of the laterals in all estimates which he would hereafter prepare. If such was the case it would mean a great amount of additional office work.

The aldermen thought they had perhaps better go slow in the whole question of lateral connections, as it was likely to prove a very expensive undertaking if the policy of doing all the work when streets are first improved was to be strictly adhered to. For instance the cost of making such connections on Linden avenue alone would be in the neighborhood of \$23,000. After some debate it decided to lay the whole question over for further consideration.

Thos. Shotbolt was present as representative of the property owners on Foul Bay road, to protest against the proposal to lay down a wooden sidewalk on the section of that thoroughfare between Crescent street and Fairfield road, and charge the property owners four-fifths of the cost. He pointed out that for the past twenty years the property owners in that section of the city had been paying taxes and had not received any benefits whatever from civic improvements, either in the way of police protection or electric light. In view of this he thought that it would be an equitable arrangement for the city to agree to pay one-third and the owners two-thirds. The council could not see its way clear to grant the request.

A formal motion was passed defining the respective duties of the water commissioner and the city engineer in respect to water work arising in the water department. As already pointed out in the Times Mr. Topp will hereafter have absolute control over the entire mechanical work of the department, Mr. Raymur confining himself to office work and administration.

Harry Maynard, manager of the Silver Spring Brewing Company, forwarded a letter in which he explained that the city solicitor had written him tendering him the sum of \$10 as compensation for the removal of the small building which was blocking Lime street. Mr. Maynard did not think that the city solicitor had any right to make any such tender, and this was the opinion of the members of the council who expressed surprise that the solicitor had taken such action without consulting the board. Alderman Turner was loud in his denunciation of the action. In this connection Messrs. McPhillips & Davis, solicitors for the brewing company, wrote saying that their clients would dispute the authority of the city to order the removal of the buildings. It was then decided to instruct the city solicitor to take legal action to compel the brewing company to remove it.

Views of Danes.
Copenhagen, Oct. 15.—The affidavit of Edward E. Barrill saying that Dr. Frederick A. Cook did not reach the summit of Mount McKinley, and what is considered here as a vague reply to the affidavit by Dr. Cook, are believed to have weakened somewhat the American explorer's position that he ascended the mountain to its apex. Public opinion, however, still favors his claim that he reached the north pole.

The newspapers are reticent on the subject, but the authorities and explorers continue their belief in Dr. Cook. Prof. Torp, rector of the University of Copenhagen, said yesterday: "It is clear that Dr. Cook is being pursued by enemies. There is no reason for me to change my mind because the stories are printed. Nevertheless we cannot understand why Dr. Cook cannot send us the observations he made at the north pole before two months."

Capt. Otto Sverdrup, the Arctic explorer, also thought that the denial of Dr. Cook's conquest of Mount McKinley was due to his enemies. Commander Hovgaard, also an Arctic explorer of note, said: "I have not changed my mind about Dr. Cook. I know nothing about Mount McKinley, but I think he can prove that he reached the pole."

NEW YORK HONORS BROOKLYN EXPLORER

Dr. Cook Makes Statement Regarding the Barrill Charges.

New York, Oct. 15.—Following his recent return from a tour of the principal cities of the middle west, the aldermen of Greater New York yesterday gave Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Brooklyn explorer, the freedom of the city. An enormous crowd witnessed the ceremony which was held in the city hall. Mayor McClellan was not present.

In congratulating Dr. Cook, Bird S. Coler, president of the borough of Brooklyn, criticized Mayor McClellan for not attending the ceremonies. The explorer, apparently much impressed by the aldermen's assurances of confidence in his claim of having reached the North Pole, said:

"This is the proudest moment of my life, especially as your assurances of confidence in me follow so closely on the false affidavit recently printed without giving me an opportunity to defend myself. I will substantiate every statement that I have made."

Later in the afternoon Dr. Cook gave out this affidavit relative to the Barrill affidavit:

"I am sure that affidavit was paid for, and I am going to the Pacific coast to investigate it. If any one climbs Mount McKinley he will find there conclusive proof that I have preceded him."

NICARAGUA CAPITAL UNDER MARTIAL LAW

Zelaya Has Closed All Ports on the Atlantic Coast.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Late advice received yesterday from the department show that martial law has been declared in Managua, the capital of Nicaragua, and that President Zelaya has decreed the Atlantic coast ports closed as ports of entry. It is also reported that the entire east coast of Nicaragua is in the possession of the revolutionists, and that the revolt has extended to the western part of the country.

The closing of these Nicaraguan ports is proving an embarrassment to the steamship lines which have received goods for shipment there, and the state department has also asked what course should be pursued with respect to these shipments, and also with respect to mails destined to eastern ports as well as to interior points. The state department has referred the latter matter to the postmaster-general. With respect to the shipment of cargoes, the department has as yet made no response, but it is believed that freight landed at closed ports now in the hands of the revolutionists are liable to confiscation as smuggled goods should the Zelaya government subsequently secure possession of them.

FARMERS COMING FROM THE STATES

Reports of Crops Draw Many to Southern Alberta.

Calgary, Oct. 15.—From reports secured here it is learned that twenty-two cars of settlers' effects and two cars of women and children will arrive next week at Strathmore from the States. The movement of actual settlers into this district is second only in numbers to those merely coming here in an endeavor to purchase land. Reports of crops harvested have attracted the attention of American agriculturists, who though possibly owning Alberta lands for some time have continued to farm their holdings in the States. They are now selling and coming to Southern Alberta with their effects. Colonization interests are now planning for a colonization campaign of large proportions, and every effort will be made to place landowners in residence upon holdings. An attempt will also be made to rent to practical American farmers all the holdings of those who cannot arrange to go into residence upon their purchased land.

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tion that will place the farm under the control of the Illinois authorities. She declares that the convicts could make the venture profitable to the state, while at the same time the prisoners would be given the benefit of better conditions during their enforced servitude. Mrs. Ide secured the farm, which contains four thousand acres, from Mrs. Davis Ellsworth Lucas, the wife of a prominent physician who is interested in the reformation theories propounded by Mrs. Ide.

BANK TRAGEDY.
Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 15.—In spite of the announcement of the Chicago police that they have positively identified the man who committed suicide after robbing the Erskine Savings bank at Highland Park, as Lamar Harris, of Los Angeles, Mrs. W. Harris, Lamar's mother, and his wife, refuse to credit the report. The women believe that a terrible mistake has been made and that future events will prove that Harris was in no way connected with the robbery at Highland Park.

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—W. H. Morrison, of Prince Rupert, will speak to-morrow afternoon at the regular men's meeting in the Y.M.C.A. on the subject, "Prospecting on the G. T.P." All men are cordially invited to attend. Miss M. Miller will be the soloist.

—The Friendly Help Society is asking for a bedstead on behalf of a poor family whom they are assisting. Anyone having a bedstead to spare would be doing a charitable act if they would send it to the society's rooms at the Market hall.

—The British Campaigners' Association held a meeting last evening in the drill hall, when final arrangements were made for the holding of a dinner in the Driad hotel, on November 9th, in commemoration of the Indian mutiny. A number of veterans of the mutiny have been invited to be present as guests of the club.

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REV. DR. MATTHEWS.

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Pantagruel theatre will have as one of its big vaudeville features next week the greatest attraction of its kind in the business, Martell's Marionette Hippodrome and Fairyland Transformation. This great double production has travelled completely around the world and has delighted the people of nearly every civilized nation on earth. The nature of the entertainment being such that it appeals to all languages; spectacular pantomime, and at same time exceedingly funny, its marvellous success is easily understood. Lilly Mason and Company, with a farce comedy creation differing from all others; Russell and Gray, instrumentalists and vocalists; Mae B. Young, joyful jollier; Arthur Elwell, singing "From Your Dear Heart," and the pictures, looks like a great show.

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A general meeting of the Victoria Hockey Club will be held in the parlors of the Balmoral hotel this evening at 8 o'clock, and all gentlemen interested in hockey are asked to be present. Although the entrance fee this year has been raised to two dollars, the club already has the largest list of members on record. Hockey is going to boom in Victoria this season, and it is expected that the Prior cup will be regained by the local club together with the British Columbia championship. At the meeting this evening the grounds committee will submit the offer of a couple of playing fields to the choice of players, practices will be arranged and delegates selected to represent Victoria at the coming meeting of the British Columbia Hockey League.

PLEADED GUILTY.

Roland C. Pettitt Before Magistrate Jay for Obtaining Money Under False Pretences.

Roland C. Pettitt this morning pleaded guilty before Magistrate Jay to passing a valuable cheque for \$75 to Alfred T. Abbey, of the City Brokerage Company, well knowing the same to be worthless, and asked for a remand until next week before sentence should be passed on him. The remand was granted.

Pettitt claimed to be in search of a lime stone quarry, and at the same time while negotiating for the purchase hired a furnished house at \$50 per month through the City Brokerage Company, giving his cheque for \$75 and receiving a cheque for \$25 change from A. T. Abbey. He cashed the cheque and spent the funds. His \$75 cheque, drawn on a San Francisco bank, was returned marked "no funds." He will come up for sentence on Tuesday.

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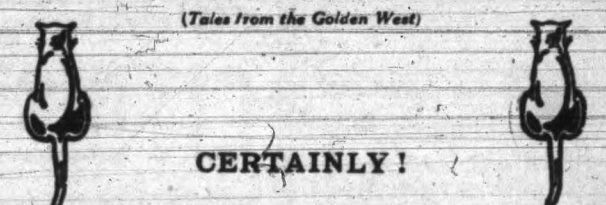
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DUFFY DISQUALIFIED AS PROFESSIONAL

Captain Denies Allegation and Will Demand Enquiry.

Owing to the ruling of the local branch of the B. C. A. A. U. at a meeting held last night the match between the Victoria West and James Bay soccer teams played last Saturday and won by the Victoria West will not count, as the union has found that the Victoria West club played Samuel Duffy, who has professional standing. The union has disallowed Duffy from playing again this season either for or against a Victoria club. The football union will be asked for a ruling as to the distribution of points over the match. The union officials say the Victoria West will forfeit the points, but they have some doubt as to the right of the Bays to receive either one or two points on the game. It is contended that Duffy has never been re-instated as an amateur, after having appeared in the boxing ring with professionals.

The union passed a resolution reprimanding the secretary and president of the club for the breach.

Stanley Okeff, captain of the Victoria West soccer team, this morning said in reference to the action taken last night:

"I have been captain of the Victoria West team since its inception four years ago and during that time we have been a strictly amateur organization, not one cent has ever been paid to any player for his services. The statement that Duffy received payment for his services last Saturday is incorrect. He received nothing."

"Duffy has been registered as an amateur with the secretary of the league, who has accepted his registration and his amateur status the same as all other athletes who were formerly professional and have been reinstated as amateurs by the local branch of the B. C. A. A. U."

"I might also say that we do not intend to let this matter stand but will fight it right to the end."

"There were present at last night's meeting of the union the president, Dan O'Sullivan, the secretary, A. J. Brace, and our representative, A. Monteith. I do not think their action will stand as the three did not form a quorum. Our representative was over-ruled by the two others and we will press the matter to the limit. We will certainly have it reopened and a full inquiry made."



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V. Y. C. Colors May Fly in Next Alexandra Cup Race.

Now that the Yachting season is drawing to a close, members of the Victoria Yacht club are again agitating for the building of a boat to compete for the Alexandra cup which will be competed for in Victoria in 1933. The committee appointed to go into the measurement rules for the N.W.I.Y.R.A., forwarded to the executive committee a suggestion, that the racing rules, should be the universal rules in force at present, and instead of making a suggestion to the trustees of the Alexandra cup, that the boats competing for this event, shall be in the 31 feet class, instead of the 29 feet as heretofore. Of course this lends an added difficulty to the building of a boat for the coming year, for if the rules and class are to be altered in 1933, the boat built to compete in 1932 would not be suitable to race again.

The Victoria Yacht club are however, making strenuous efforts to have a boat to represent them at the regatta, in their home waters. This season has been a very successful one for the yacht club, and they are already taking steps to prepare for the coming regatta in 1933. Yachtsmen all over the Pacific coast are looking forward to this regatta, for in the past they have found that Victoria spared no success in making its regatta a success. The Yachtsmen feel certain that the regatta will be one of the most successful ever held on the Pacific coast and will mean a big thing for the city of Victoria for it is expected that fully 200 boats, and from 5 to 6 thousand visitors will attend. The club have made an effort to shorten the length of time usually taken for a regatta, and it is hoped that they will be able to arrange to confine it to about 4 or 5 days.

GIRLS OF NANAIMO AFTER DALBY CUP

Hockey Team Formed—Basket Ball Aggregation Formed.

The Nanaimo ladies will fly the blue and white for the season under which the hockey players will make an assault on the Dalby cup presented to be won twice in succession.

The club has been fully organized and is reported as having a strong side which will practice Thursday's and Saturday's with regularity, according to reports to hand this morning. The club held a meeting Thursday and appointed T. B. Booth of the Coal city, manager, and fixed club membership tickets at \$1.50 and season tickets at \$2. for both of which a brisk sale has commenced. Miss Teague was elected captain of the team, Miss Priestly vice-captain, Miss Gibson, secretary-treasurer, and a committee to consist of Mrs. E. McGregor, Mrs. Sharp and the Misses L. Wornborn, C. Shepherd and M. Randall.

Nanaimo intends to put out a ladies' basketball team this year, the organizers of which are the officials of the hockey club. The plan is held to be a good one, and members feel it will be a good means of practice and keeping the players in first rate condition for the hockey matches. Inside basketball practice can take the place of outdoor hockey when the weather prevents a general field turnout. Nothing has been done for looking for outside basketball competition by the team, but this will, it is said, come when the basketball team shows form.

Vancouver to Stay at Home.

The Vancouver Ladies' Hockey Club was reorganized for the coming season this week. This year it is composed largely of new material. The prospects are bright for a successful winter as the membership is already large and much interest is being taken in the sport by the members of the fair sex. The Vancouver Ladies' Hockey Club will not enter the Pacific Coast League, the matches being confined to the "Olympics" of New Westminster, the High school girls, McGill, the Normal school, North Vancouver and Burnaby.

Miss Tyke-Whitcliffe was elected captain, and the vice captain is Miss Gradwell. Miss Peggy Rose is the new secretary, and Mrs. Dr. Campbell and Miss "Click" Whitcliffe the additional members on the executive.

BASEBALL

ANOTHER WIN FOR SPOKANE.

Spokane, Oct. 16.—Spokane again defeated the pennant holders in the post series of games. Scores:

Northwestern, R. H. E.
Seattle 2 7 1
Spokane 4 1 3
Batteries: Miller and Whaling; Jensen and Ostlick.

Portland, Oct. 15.—Scores were as follows:

R. H. E.
Vernon 11 10 4
Portland 4 1 3
Batteries: Brackenridge and Brown; Garrett, Chinault, Fisher and Murray.

Los Angeles, Oct. 15.—Scores were as follows:

R. H. E.
Los Angeles 2 7 1
Sacramento 4 1 3
Batteries: Hatch, Thorsen and Orendorff; Smith, Baum and Le Longe.

San Francisco, Oct. 15.—Scores were as follows:

R. H. E.
Oakland 3 7 0
San Francisco 1 8 1
Batteries: Thompson and Thomas; Griffin and Berry.

CAN B. C. LIFT THE RUGBY CUP

STANFORD LOOKED ON AS CHAMPIONS

California Critic Tells of University Play in South.

Vancouver's chances of winning the Keith Cooper cup from the California Rugby teams this year are not bright, according to a critic from the south who sends the following account of the Rugby situation around San Francisco:

"Sizing up the different rugby teams in California, indications point to an overall victory for the Stanford team over the blue and gold in the big game between these universities, November 13th next. Although handicapped by a crippled and patched up back field, the Cardinal team has been defeating with comparative ease, teams which are in winning form. The Stanford forwards are a heavier and huskier pack than last year, averaging from 180 to 195 pounds, and it is doubtful if any scrum on the Pacific coast could cope with them successfully."

"Cap. Mitchell's shoulder should not take more than ten days to round into shape and as soon as the freshman game is over two or maybe three stars will play regularly with the varsity team on the back division. And these freshman stars are of varsity calibre, too, Stan Mitchell being the find of the season, his brilliant runs and accurate goal kicking is wonderful. By November 13th, therefore, a new coach Priestly should have a team fully as good if not better, than the one that won the Keith Cooper cup from the Vancouver team last Christmas."

"The big surprise of the season is the wonderful showing of the Castaway Rugby team of Los Angeles, against the blue and gold on October 3rd. This team had played together barely a week and were not in very good condition. The Higgins brothers (Australians, one of whom played on the 'All California' team last winter against the Wallabies), were the stars of the Castaways, and when the game ended with the score a tie, 10 to 10, the California coaches were somewhat surprised."

"Unless Vancouver takes a stronger team down south this fall the chances of the Keith Cooper cup coming back with them are not bright."

NEIL AND LAUDER DO NOT BOX NEXT MONTH

American and Attel May Come North Next Month.

The proposed return bout between Frankie Neil and Billy Lauder to take place at Vancouver, Tuesday next, is off. Neil was here yesterday for the day and was still limping on the ankle which went under him in the fifth round of the Lauder bout.

Manager Wood who travels with him and who left yesterday for San Francisco tried to arrange the bout at a later date to take place in Victoria, but considerable opposition was shown to it and the preliminary arrangements fell through.

Wood said yesterday he had a full house at North Vancouver and that the public got good value for the bout, which Neil was out boxed he declared but thinks he would beat Lauder if the pair of little ones met again.

Wood said he would probably bring Attel and Neil north again in a few weeks and endeavor to put the bout on either here or in North Vancouver.

BOTH PUGILISTS ARE CONFIDENT

Ketchel Says He Will Be Disappointed if He Loses Fight.

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 16.—"Will middleweight champion Stanley Ketchel be able to wrest the heavyweight laurels from giant Jack Johnson, who has held the title since his victory over Tommy Burns in Australia?"

This is the question that thousands of fight fans the country over are asking themselves this morning.

Fit as the proverbial fiddle and eagerly awaiting the tap of the gong which will set them off on their 36-round championship battle at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Coddrot's arena, both Ketchel and Johnson are prepared to put up the battle of their lives.

With all the choice seats disposed of, early indications are that a record-breaking crowd will witness the struggle.

Ketchel will go into the ring weighing about 180 pounds, and he seems to be brimming over with confidence. Here is what he says:

"I never felt better in my life, and if I am not hailed as the heavyweight champion when the battle is over, I will be a very disappointed man. Of course, Johnson has the advantage over me in weight and reach, but I do not believe that he carries a knockout in either arm. If I can land one good punch during the opening session, he will leave me when I say that I will take some of the fight out of Mr. Coon."

While Johnson is confident of winning, he is talking the battle much more seriously than he did his ten-round encounter with Al Kaufmann.

Johnson said:

"There is no doubt but that Ketchel is a dangerous man, and I would consider that he had a chance even with

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The betting is still 10 to 4 that Johnson will win, and even money that Ketchel will last 14 rounds.

THE RING

LAUDER v. STANDEN.

A match between Billy Lauder, the Canadian lightweight champion, and Rod Standen, the Nanaimo boxer, who scored a knockout over Billy some time ago in the Coal City, is the next event on the card for fight enthusiasts. Harry Duker is endeavoring to bring the pair together in a fifteen-round bout at North Vancouver, and they will probably sign articles to-day. Since Standen beat Lauder by a knockout the pair have boxed once in Nanaimo, and the decision was a draw. A third meeting between the pair would consequently be of interest to Vancouver fans who have not yet had the privilege of seeing Standen in action.

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No better argument could be needed for the erection of a new High school than the excellent results attained there. No one who attended the commencement exercises yesterday afternoon could fail to be struck with the high quality of the work being done by Principal Willis and his assistants, and the ability of the students.

Principal Willis presided, and among those present in the crowded assembly hall were Dr. Alex. Robinson, superintendent of education; City Superintendent E. D. Paul, and Trustees McNeill, Stanaland, Riddell, Christie and Mrs. Jenkins.

The following prizes and medals were presented:

The Governor-General's silver medals were given to Thomas Norris and Harry Robinson, who were head of the matriculation class; second prize, Elmer Finland; third, George Williscroft; German, Ruby Tubman; English, Jessie Roberts; English, Ruby Tubman.

In the University class, Mary Hamilton gained the gold medal presented by Trustee Riddell, and the French prize, while Marshall Gordon took the first prize for proficiency.

Head of preliminary class, Florence Penny, winner of Challoner & Mitchell's silver medal; second prize, Scott Watson, donated by Messrs. Hibben.

The gold medal for the head of the commercial class was won by Emma Will.

The head of the junior class was Doris Holmes, to whom Mr. Pollard gave the silver medal; second prize, given by Victoria Book & Stationery

Co., Norma Spencer; third, Vida Latimer; fourth, Henry Sivertz.

Latin prize, Doris Holmes. Principal Willis, after welcoming the parents and visitors, spoke as follows of the successes of the school in the matriculation examinations:

"Last year five students took this course, and all five were admitted to the third year at McGill; Eberts, however, having to write a supplemental in French. Miss Chandler, whose career while in attendance at this school has been a brilliant one, maintained her previous excellent record by winning a first-class general standing; Miss McKillop obtained a second; Beckwith, Miss Papke and Eberts a third. Miss Chandler was given fourth place in the University in aggregate standing. She stood first in English composition, second in algebra, and fourth in geometry and French. Of these five, three are now pursuing their studies in the third year at McGill, and will therefore be enabled to graduate by spending but two years at the University.

"The first year in arts was equally successful, individual members obtaining a very high place indeed. There were fifteen undergraduates enrolled in this class, two of whom were partial students. Of the thirteen candidates who wrote in the McGill seasonal examinations, ten passed in all subjects, two were conditioned with one subject, and one failed. The pass list is as follows: Class I, Mary Hamilton, Marshall Gordon; Class II, Leon Holm, Miss Corry, Miss Ross; Class III, Miss Lehman, Kenneth Drury, Miss Luxcombe, Miss Mowat, and Miss Logan. Conditioned, Miss Fox and Miss Coates.

"I want to call your attention to the excellent work done by the leader, Miss Hamilton. She took second place among all the students of the University in the first year of the arts course, making an average of 84.15 per cent, and was first in three subjects, French, geometry, and Latin. Marshall Gordon also did well. He was second in Latin, and won a high place in English, geometry and physics.

"You will be pleased to know that former High school pupils are doing well at McGill and other universities. In arts, Henry Angus led the second year, and Nelson King has also kept up his previous good record. In the third year, Miss Green and Mr. Wood obtained honors in English. In medicine and science there are equally successful students from Victoria. Cuthbert Holmes, who took the second year with us, a year ago, is now in residence at Balliol College, Oxford.

"Passing to the High school department, we find that for the first time in many years the boys carried off the honors in the matriculation class. The first four on the list were boys, and they came remarkably close to each other, the fourth boy being only two marks out of 700 behind the first. Thomas Norris and Harry Robinson tied for first place. These were closely followed by Elmer Finland and George Williscroft. Thirty-eight candidates wrote on the examinations, and twenty-nine passed. The French paper, hard as usual, was responsible for some failures. In most of the other subjects they did exceedingly well. One of the members of this class, Arthur Boggs, succeeded in matriculating to the Royal Military College, Kingston, and is now in attendance there. You will remember that last year Miss Jean Robinson headed the Dominion in the matriculation examinations. This year she wrote on advanced exhibition work, and repeated her success of the previous year by again coming first in the whole Dominion. She won a scholarship worth \$300, and is now attending McGill.

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Four of them, Doris Holmes, Norma Spencer, Vida Latimer and Henry Sivertz, led the province in the junior department examinations. Miss Holmes made an average of eighty-five and a fifth per cent. One of the junior classes of last year passed in its entirety. Ninety pupils wrote on the examinations, and of these 79 were successful. I wish also to make mention of the excellent work of Dorothy Boyden and Kathleen O'Meara. These students had to take the arithmetic and drawing of the preliminary grade as well as all the subjects of the advanced course of the junior grade. Each of them made an average of seventy-seven per cent.

"The classes which took the preliminary course of the junior grade, although comparing favorably with similar classes throughout the province, did not come up to my expectations. I know of no good reason why at least eighty or eighty-five per cent. of these pupils should not pass. Perhaps it is partly due to the new conditions in which they find themselves after leaving the other schools. It takes some time, no doubt, to become accustomed to somewhat different methods of study and teaching. Fifty-three pupils passed out of seventy-six. Miss Florence Penny came first.

"In the commercial department seven candidates wrote for diplomas. Of these four were successful, Miss Will, Miss Francis Grant, Arthur Pike and Miss Jackson. In the preliminary part of the course, all but one pupil were successful.

Principal Willis pointed out that many pupils are altogether too young when they take up this work, and the result is many drop out before the end of the year or change over to the regular course. He suggests that two years of the regular course should be taken before entering the commercial department. The loyal support of the staff was acknowledged by the principal and reference made to the circulating library, started largely through the efforts of Miss Cann, the school passer.

"The Camosun," of which, Harold Beckwith is editor, and Kenneth Drury business manager; and the work of Miss Pollard and Sergt. Major Mulcahy.

Rev. W. Leslie Clay congratulated principal, staff and students on the achievements of the year, and the city on its excellent educational system, and on the prospect of the establishment here of the university.

Supt. Paul had hearty words of congratulation for those who had by their talents secured admission to that renowned and dignified seat of learning, McGill University, and looked to see this year's first-year class add to the fame which Victoria College had gained. Speaking of the rapid increase of students Supt. Paul showed how absolutely necessary it was to have a new building, which the school board was now proposing to erect. In a word about the splendidly drilled High school cadet corps and their instructor, Sergt. Major Mulcahy, the superintendent pointed out that they compared unfavorably with other corps, and hoped citizens would see that this disadvantage was removed.

Dr. Robinson described the progress of the High school since he first came



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Please tell me about the remedy you used to cure your husband. I am personally interested in one who drinks.

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One of the most beneficial results of the United States Pure Food Law lay in its exposure of the many vile concoctions sold as "whisky."

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The result of the law was the annihilation of numberless brands of whisky, supposedly reputable, which had formerly commanded large sales. They fell far short of the official standard, and disappeared from the market.

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To-day from Boston to San Francisco it is making Canada famous as the home of the "best whisky on the continent."

We want to send you a free sample of Corby's Whisky to prove its quality to you.

Fill out and mail the attached Coupon, and we will send you a miniature size of our quart bottle.

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Send me a sample bottle of "Corby's Special Selected" Rye Whisky.

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INDIAN MURDERER ENDS HIS OWN LIFE

Body of Fugitive Found in Granite Stronghold in Desert.

(By R. W. Madison, staff correspondent of the United Press.)
San Bernardino, Cal., Oct. 16.—Billy Boy, the Plute Indian murderer, is dead. With his only remaining cartridge he sent a bullet crashing through his heart and felt lifeless in the granite fortress where he made his last desperate stand against Sheriff Ralph's posse last week. The Indian's body was cremated on a hastily constructed funeral pyre, made by the officers who had run him to his death on the sands of the great Colorado desert, the home of his forefathers.

Early yesterday the combined posse under Sheriff Ralph arrived within striking distance of the murderer's lair. A line of scouts was thrown out, and the fortress encircled. Gradually the line was drawn closer to the granite stronghold. Shots fired by the deputies met with no reply, and a daring Indian trader approached to within a hundred yards of the place. Suddenly the Indian turned and fled back to the posse. Trembling with terror and with one hand pointing to the pile of granite from which Billy died the other above his head in the Plute death sign. Deputy Ben De Crevecoeur, accompanied by three officers, then crept warily up the slope to the fort. The bare foot and leg of the fugitive protruded through a rift in the rocks. De Crevecoeur directed a bullet from his Winchester at the foot; there was no move behind the rock pile, and with a shout the four officers vaulted into the nook that had sheltered the Indian for many days and rolled his lifeless body into the open.

One of the Indian's feet was bare, and beside him lay his stolen Winchester. It was apparent that he had removed his shoe and placing the muzzle of the gun against his breast, had pressed the trigger with his toe. The desperado's body was badly decomposed. He apparently had been dead nearly a week.

Under the direction of Deputy Sheriff Hewins, the body was cremated.

JAPANESE BUDGET APPROVED.

Tokyo, Oct. 16.—The budget has been approved by the Privy Council. It totals \$284,500,000.

TYPHOID AT COBALT.

Cobalt, Ont., Oct. 16.—Dr. Bell, of the provincial health department, has finished his work in cleaning up Cobalt of typhoid and will return to Toronto on Sunday.

D. D. MANN'S EYE IS ON VANCOUVER ISLAND

(Continued from page 1.)

your timber. The prospect for business development is simply dazzling. Steel Works.

"Vancouver Island is agitating for the erection of iron and steel works? Why not? You ought to have them. It is not a moment too soon to get busy along those lines. I can tell you this—that if such plants are not in existence when our line reaches the coast, I will build one myself. Our company has now you know—a blast furnace at Port Arthur. Oh, yes, steel works are coming.

"I can see a great future ahead of Vancouver Island, aside altogether from the question of rail connection with the mainland. Your Island possesses such superlative attractions, especially to those who have made a competency in the harsher climate of the northwest; that there can be no doubt that your pleasant valleys in every section of the Island will be the homes of thousands of people; just so soon as you have made the various districts accessible by modern methods of transportation. I am sure you may look forward to one day seeing one million people on this Island.

"The labor question? I think you ought to be able to get all the men you want. The Canadian Northern has never yet seen the necessity of employing any but white men. In all the course of our business, the firm of MacKenzie & Mann have never given employment to an Asiatic. That's something to boast of, isn't it?"

Assimilating Population.

"The people from the western section of the United States are pouring into Canada at a very rapid rate. They make excellent citizens. And a very large number of wealthy Americans are not only investing in Canada, but they are becoming Canadian citizens. Some of these people come over with me on the boat from Vancouver. There goes Senator Gallagher—and Mr. Mann pointed to a tall gentleman crossing the rotunda of the hotel—Senator Gallagher has taken out his papers as a Canadian citizen, and he is going to build a \$150,000 residence at Vancouver on Shaughnessy Heights—the swell residential district of the city."

In conclusion, Mr. Mann said he hardly knew how long he would be in the city. That would depend a good deal upon the nature of the negotiations with the government. He would be here, he said, until Tuesday next in any case.

During the interview Mr. Mann said that application had been made both to the federal and provincial governments for subsidies for the line through British Columbia. The company was anxious to get on with the enterprise and he hoped that the negotiations which he would open to-day with Premier McBride would prove successful.

D. D. Mann is one of the most famous railway builders on the continent of America if not, indeed, in the world. By sheer pluck and determination he has risen from a position of obscurity to that of one of the heads of the most enterprising railway companies in America. In his boyhood youth he was engaged in the most humble tasks on a railway—but the brains and the will were there, and to-day "Dan" Mann is known far and wide as a great Railway King.

In appearance Mr. Mann gives the impression that nature intended him for a successful man—for a man who would do things, one who out of the very love of overcoming great difficulties would push his way to the front in almost any country under any circumstances. Above medium height, heavy of build, slow of movement—and of speech—with a massive head, heavy, determined jaws and a glance of the eye that pierces one through, "Dan" Mann is a big man—and he looks it.

CANADIAN FIELD BATTERIES.

Ottawa, Oct. 16.—General efficiency scores of the Canadian field batteries give the 21st Montreal batteries first place, with the second battery, Ottawa, in second place; 8th battery, Granby, third, and 25th battery, Ottawa, and 15th battery, Winnipeg, next in order.

"IT SEEMED LIKE THROWING MONEY AWAY Until I Tried Gin Pills."

Mr. P. Fitzgerald was completely disheartened. He had suffered so long with his kidneys and spent so much money on doctors without relief, that he made up his mind he could not be cured.

Then, he chanced to read about the wonderful cures by Gin Pills, the great Kidney Remedy, and sent for a sample. The pills did him so much good that he immediately bought two full size boxes. And these two boxes of Gin Pills made him feel like another man.

But let Mr. Fitzgerald tell his own story of a really remarkable cure.

Provincial Asylum, Orillia, June 15th.

I have much pleasure in stating that the sample, which you sent me, led me to buy two boxes of Gin Pills from a local druggist. They are the best remedy for Uric Acid Trouble that I have ever tried. I must say that before using Gin Pills, I had undergone a long and expensive course of treatment by eminent specialists of Chicago. They did me no good—it seemed like throwing money away.

I still keep a box of Gin Pills on hand and take one occasionally. I am pleased to recommend them and bear testimony to their efficacy.

P. FITZGERALD.

After reading such a letter as this, you simply can't doubt the value of Gin Pills in case of Kidney and Bladder Trouble. If you are a sufferer, write The National Drug & Chemical Co., (Dept. V.T.), Toronto, for a free sample of Gin Pills and try them at our expense. After you have seen for yourself just what Gin Pills will do, buy the full size at your dealer's, and remember that Gin Pills are sold with a positive guarantee of a cure or money refunded.

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THE CHAFING DISH is more than a "frying-pan," much more—ask the woman who has used one, who has used both. Dainty treats can be quickly and economically prepared with the chafing dish. The arrival of the unexpected guest—the hasty meal—the afternoon tea—are all problems easily solved by the chafing dish. A delicious rarebit—a dainty chicken stew—delightful creamed oysters—will be more appetizing if made in one of these chafing dishes. This style is sanitary, cleanly, durable and is the finest, most useful utensil of the kind on the market. Book of recipes with each chafing.

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Here Are Splendid Styles and Values in Hall Racks
Four New Arrivals Just Priced—Prices Ranging From Each \$16



WE HAVE just priced four very attractive new hall racks—priced very low, stylish racks at very interesting prices. And such news should be interesting, now that the season when such a furniture item is most required is here. We want you to visit our fourth floor showrooms and see these new racks, see the other styles offered and see our many offerings in hall seats, hall mirrors, umbrella stands and other suitable and necessary hall furniture shown there. There is much to interest you and a visit will amply repay you. Here are the new ones—

We have a very attractive rack in either Golden Oak or Early-English finished oak, with bevel plate mirror, brass hooks, umbrella rack and cupboard. Finely finished and of excellent design. Priced at \$16

This \$30 rack has a large bevel plate mirror of finest quality. Made of selected oak, highly polished. Brass hooks, umbrella rack and cupboard..... \$30

This style has a very handsome oval, bevel plate mirror. Selected oak has been used. Very stylish design..... \$40



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Bed Spreads and Cushion Forms—New Arrivals

WE HAVE just unpacked some excellent new arrivals in art bed spreads, cushion forms, table covers, etc. These come direct to us from one of the leading British houses and they represent the very latest ideas of the fashion centres of the world.

We shall have them ready for your inspection to-day and we invite you to visit the second floor and view the many interesting new offerings to be seen there. Welcome to come, whether to buy or to be informed.

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Coffee is healthful if made right. A great many persons who cannot drink coffee made by ordinary methods are really benefited by drinking coffee made by the



Manning-Bowman "METEOR" Coffee Percolator

The grounds are above the liquid and as soon as the water in the lower compartment becomes heated it is forced up through the central tube and sprayed over the ground coffee automatically, and, filtering through, absorbs all the flavor and aroma, leaving bitter tannic acid behind where it can do no harm. To obtain the same strength use one-third less coffee than by other methods.

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Two Special Values in Mission Style Morris Chairs

Two Excellent Chair Styles Marked at Saving Prices to Clear

UP ON THE THIRD FLOOR we have a few chair styles of which we have but one of a pattern. We have such an extensive line of catalogued chairs we find we have too little space to carry all these odd lines, so we are making an effort to clear some of these quickly. We have specially priced some of these and here are two special values in Morris chairs—

MORRIS CHAIR, in oak, Mission design, finished in Early English finish. Upholstered in moquette. Excellent chair style. Special value at \$24

MORRIS CHAIR—A very striking Mission style. Frame is of oak and is upholstered in attractive tapestry. Specially priced at, each \$20

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Sole Agents
Ostermoor
Mattress
Price \$15.00

SPANISH CABINET APPEARS DOOMED

(Continued from page 1.)

Ready For Emergency.

Paris, Oct. 16.—The Socialist paper, the Humanite, in an "extra" to-day appealed to the socialists, revolutionists and anarchists of Paris to hold a great anti-military and anti-clerical demonstration this afternoon.

Similar meetings have been called throughout France, and bloodshed is feared. Troops are swarming this city and many special deputies have been sworn in by the officials in their attempt to preserve order.

The Spanish embassy is under heavy guard, as most of the ill-feeling is directed toward the Spanish government.

Bomb Outrage.

Cerbere, France, Oct. 16.—In a bomb explosion near the cathedral at Barcelona to-day ten persons were injured, three of them fatally. The explosion to-day followed a similar one yesterday before the house of the bishop.

It is evident that the anti-clericals, who have been furious since the execution of Prof. Ferrer, are attempting to destroy the cathedral.

Try the lunch at the Poodle Dog.

FALLS INTO VAT OF BOILING WATER

Man Employed in Packing Plant Sustains Serious Injuries.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 16.—Falling headlong into a vat of boiling water, Edward Peterson, 27 years of age, yesterday received burns that the surgeons at the receiving hospital fear will prove fatal.

Peterson is employed at the plant of the Los Angeles Packing Company. While emptying a tub of sausages into the tank he lost his balance and plunged into the seething water.

The flesh on the man's back, arms, and legs was parboiled before he was reached by other workmen.

ELECTRIC POWER OFF.

The users of electric lighting and three phase power are notified by the B. C. Electric Company that to-morrow until 5 o'clock in the evening the power will be shut off. Extensive changes are being made in the lighting and alternating power circuits which necessitates shutting them off.

The churches using electric power for operating their pipe organs will be affected by this and will have to make other arrangements.

ROBIN HOOD FLOUR IS DIFFERENT

IMPRESS UPON YOUR MIND THESE TWO SPECIAL FACTS

Robin Hood Flour must satisfy you in two fair trials or you can have your money back—it is the guaranteed flour.

Robin Hood Flour absorbs more moisture than other flours—therefore add more water when you use it and get a larger, whiter loaf.

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News of Greater Britain

United Kingdom

OLD AGE PENSIONS.

LONDON. The report of the commissioners of inland revenue, contains an interesting reference to the difficulties of administering the Old Age Pension Act. The commissioners state that it was anticipated that the greatest difficulty would be found in Ireland, but there was nothing to indicate that the number of claims would be anything like the number actually received. It was found requisite to send to Ireland from England and Scotland as the necessity arose nearly 200 additional officers to act as pension officers, together with 15 clerks and about 100 assistants. It was found that the clerical work, time of the most difficult problems in connection with the investigation of claims was the question of age. In a large proportion of the claims there was little or no evidence of age, and though proof of age lies with the claimant, arrangements were made for enabling pension officers to assist the claimants, as far as possible, in obtaining the necessary proof. Many claimants had only a busy idea as to the exact date or place of their birth, and this added to the difficulty of tracing them in the registers of birth or baptisms. The service responded to the heavy task that was placed upon them in a manner worthy of all praise. The work was strenuous in the extreme, but the result has been a gratifying success, as was amply attested by the fact that within a period of scarcely three months nearly three-quarters of a million claims were dealt with, and 535,658 pensions placed in a position to draw their pensions on January 1st, 1909, the first date of payment prescribed by the act.

One disquieting feature to which the commissioners state they must allude is the number of complaints they have received in regard to fraudulent claims. They chiefly relate to the fabrication or falsification of evidence of age, and the suppression of items of income. This form of offence, the commissioners add, merits the strongest condemnation, and they assure the Lords Commissioners that no efforts will be spared through the agency of pension officers to detect and suppress it.

MR. CODY'S FLIGHT.

ALDERSHOT. A series of successful flights was accomplished here by Mr. Cody a few days ago. A rumor that Sir Thomas Lipton was to be a passenger on the aeroplane brought thousands of spectators to Laffan's Plain. They came in cabs, carriages, and motor cars, on bicycles, horses and foot, and clustered so thickly round the machine outside its shed that the aid of the military police had to be requisitioned to make a lane for the aeroplane to be set going. The plain was like a fair, every point of vantage being occupied, while the crest of Cove Plateau, more than a mile away, was thronged with spectators. Sir Thomas Lipton was unable to be present, but Mr. Cody nevertheless made a series of flights in the morning he made three ascents, taking up in the first instance Mrs. Capper, the wife of Colonel Capper, of the Royal Engineers' Balloon department. In the last flight he covered a half mile, marked out by himself, in 35 sec., a wonderful speed for so heavy a machine. He has fitted a compass to the front of the aeroplane, by means of which he hopes to be guided in his flight from London to Manchester, and with a view of testing the value of his instrument he carried on the first flight a compass, which he carried on the first flight. The compass was found to be so affected by the great vibration of the engines as to be virtually useless. Another flight of similar duration with a passenger was accomplished, and then Mr. Cody went for a flight alone. He rose after a run of less than 40 feet, and soared up to 200 feet, circling the plain over the heads of the crowd on Cove Plateau and over the balloon factory. He then circled over South Farnborough, and returned to his shed on the plain by the same route. The distance covered was over five miles and the time taken was about seven minutes. The enthusiasm of the lookers on was intense, and he was greeted with loud cheers. When he alighted Mr. Cody expressed himself quite satisfied with the way in which the machine behaved, and with his prospect of successfully accomplishing the flight to Manchester next week.

GREENWICH MERIDIAN.

LONDON. The objection of the Astronomer-Royal to the electrification of the horse-drawn tramways between Boreham Square, Woolwich, and the Free Ferry, is mainly on account of further interference with the delicate instruments in the Magnetic department of the observatory, already seriously affected by the city and about London Railway, which nowhere comes within four miles of the magnetic buildings in the park. Quite recently the Kew Observatory had to be removed to Scotland on account of the alarming disturbances resulting from the electric trams in West London. The world-wide importance of the Greenwich meridian, however, for time and navigation purposes render impossible such a solution of the problem in the case of the Royal Observatory. It is not generally known that the first railway from London to Woolwich was taken through Lee and Blackheath and incidentally made those places as residential neighborhoods—owing to the objection of Sir

Australia

EFFECT OF PREFERENCE.

SYDNEY. Hamilton Wickes, the board of trade commissioner, addressed the British delegates to the Congress of the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, on the trade relations between the Motherland and the Commonwealth. He emphasized the existing disabilities under which British mercantile interests labor, owing to a lack of system as compared with continental and American rivals. He urged that a tabulation of freight rates and classifications of British and foreign shipping should be made. The commissioner demonstrated the strength and weakness of catering, and distribution, and the necessity for a closer relationship between manufacturing, mercantile, and shipping interests.

Sir R. W. Best, Commonwealth minister for trade and customs, has issued a memorandum, giving the result of the experience of the preferential tariff for British imports since its introduction in June 1908. He disclaims any wish to suggest what fiscal policy is suitable to the Motherland, but, with grave misgiving, he finds that trade with Great Britain has slowly but surely decreased. The percentage of British imports in 1905 was 55 per cent. in 1906, 53.98 per cent. in 1907, 52.92 per cent. in 1908, 51.54 per cent. This decline, says the memorandum, must arrest the attention of the most competent advocates of laissez faire.

The total imports of merchandise in 1908 reached a value of £48,000,000, of which the United Kingdom contributed £23,000,000. The value of imports affected by preferential treatment was £26,000,000, of which the United Kingdom contributed £16,577,000. The preferential rebate on this amounted to £828,000.

DISCOVERIES OF COAL.

ST. JOHN'S. Further important discoveries of coal are reported. At Fort Eau, Labrador, a rich seam of anthracite has been tested, and the geological indications point to an enormously extensive deposit. This adds one more to the many seams of coal recently located in Newfoundland and adds another to the many important resources of the island which have followed the recent geological survey.

Sir E. Morris's government received lately two substantial proposals from wealthy and influential syndicates to undertake the exploitation of our coal areas. One of the offers is made by the representative of an important group of London financiers, and the other comes from New York. The government has taken both offers into consideration, and a decision will be come to in the course of a few days.

At the moment the New York proposal seems to be the more favored, inasmuch as the syndicate offers to deposit with the government a very handsome amount as security, and also puts forward an undertaking to spend a very large sum each year on production.

The English offer it seems, is by no means so confident, but the members of the syndicate are all men of high standing, and they are entertained that they will make the proposal more definite. It is felt that it would be desirable to allow these immense coal areas to get into United States hands while London capitalists are anxious to invest, but the government is, of course, bound to do what seems best in the interests of the island. At present it looks as if England would let this splendid opportunity slip through her fingers for lack of a little boldness.

Pulp Deal Settled. The great pulp deal with Mr. Hearst, the New York newspaper proprietor, has, it is reported, been finally settled, and on terms highly favorable to Newfoundland.

George Airy (then astronomer-royal) to the original plans, which provided for running the lines within a few hundred yards of the observatory.

Patent Medicine Bill. It is the intention of Captain Craig, M.P., to introduce next session a bill for the purpose of requiring that the proprietors of all patent medicines shall indicate on the outside of the bottle, or rather vessel, the nature of the ingredients, and also such preparations, having their composition stated on the label are exempt from duty. The home secretary has been in communication with the Privy Council regarding the advisability of making it incumbent upon all manufacturers of patent medicines to print on the label the full nature of the ingredients, together with a description of the diseases which they purport to cure. In the meantime new government stamps have been prepared with larger and bolder lettering in order that the more ignorant purchasers may not be led into the belief that the government stamp affords any guarantee as to the character and efficiency of the contents.

Messrs. Beardmore and Co. are manufacturing at their steel works in Glasgow a new type of modern naval gun to the order of the British admiralty. The gun is nearing completion, and after the official tests will, it is understood, be placed aboard one of the new Dreadnought battleships. The weapon is the first modern naval gun manufactured in Scotland, and is of the latest type of 14-inch wire-wound

India

MINERAL WEALTH.

CALCUTTA. H. A. Pearson, of Calcutta, has been visiting and exploring the coast of Cape Comorin and several tracts in the Tinnevely district for monazite and other minerals. He has secured from the Travancore government a valuable monazite and concession east of the cape and has applied for prospecting leases for nickel and wolfram which are said to be of great value.

The closing balance of the Indian gold standard reserve on June 30 was £18,678,174, of which the following are details:—Opening balance, £18,503,165; profit on coinage, nil; interest on investment, including discount on Treasury bills, £17,006.

Reports received here from Persia state that the caravan routes generally are now becoming safe and the revival of inland trade is expected during the ensuing cold weather. News from Teheran states that the Persian cabinet is discussing the budget for the coming year.

The rules which will govern the conduct of the Imperial legislative council, when the new reform scheme is introduced, are being steadily worked out.

Punjab Irrigation. It is reported that the lieutenant-governor of the Punjab is having investigated the possibility of storage reservoirs for the purpose of feeding rivers supplying the large canals of the Punjab during the times of small discharge. The Punjab rivers being glacier fed are perennial channels, but they are, nevertheless, liable to carry a very small volume of water in the cold weather, a volume very incommensurate with the demand for water at the time, and which is often at a minimum when the demand is at its highest. It is said that the preliminary inquiries indicate that it may be possible to obtain suitable sinks both on the Sutlej and the Jumna rivers to augment the supplies to the Sirhind Western and Jumna canals. The latter system is particularly in need of aid and commands an area of very large tract, and it is in this tract that drought and scarcity are of frequent occurrence.

Any help in the form of reservoirs would, therefore, be of inestimable value to the arid tract of the southeast Punjab.

A noticeable feature of recent times in the Myitkima district is the formation of colonies by large numbers of immigrants from other districts in Burma and from China. These are settling in the proximity of the railway line in the fertile Nanyin valley, where they are rapidly taking up new lands for paddy cultivation.

During August the Dharwar Reefs Gold Mines company crushed at its mill 1350 tons of ore for a yield of 383.21 ounces of gold recovered by amalgamation. The residual, tailing gave an assay value of 5 cwt. 6 lbs. per ton.

South Africa

INTEREST IN POLITICS.

PIETERMARITZBURG. The question of the role Natal is to assume in union politics is greatly exercising the minds of the press and politicians. Feeling at present is divided. Some people hold that the best interests of this state are to be served by our representatives in the Union parliament throwing in their lot with the Progressive party from the Transvaal and Cape Colony.

Others, however, deprecate any premature political entanglements. They urge—and their counsel carries with it a good deal of weight—that Natal should retain their independence. It is pointed out that the disappearance of racialism depends upon cordial co-operation between the moderate men of both parties. Natal's influence should be exerted in favor of a policy of moderation.

In this connection it may be mentioned that great satisfaction has been expressed here at the action of General De Wet in attending the ceremony at the Bloemfontein Cathedral for unveiling a memorial to the members of the South African constabulary who fell during the war.

Industrial Activity. The improvement in trade is most marked. Every branch of industry is reported to be in a satisfactory condition. The agricultural outlook is particularly bright. Increasing areas are under crop. Both imports and exports show a large increase on the figures for last year.

Natal Revenue Increase. Summaries of the Natal Customs for August show that during the month 55 steamers entered the harbor in cargo and 240 in ballast, with a total net tonnage of 352,012. The value of goods imported during the period was £726,922, while in August, 1908, the figures were £684,807. Of this £682,275 represented foreign goods. The exports totalled £628,495, compared with £694,563, and of this colonial produce represented £429,720, against £335,588. Rough gold was exported to the value of £163,628 and specie to the value of £400. The value of the specie imported was £206,750. The customs revenue for the month was £78,904, of which £28,000 was paid to other ports under the Customs Union, leaving a net revenue of £50,904, as compared with £45,802 in August, 1908. The coal shipments totalled 37,171 as against 36,077 tons. Of the total 36,695 tons was cargo and 60,475 was bunkered. The Excise revenue was £3164, compared with £2859 for August, 1908.

the City Press

"Revolutionary Socialism" in England.

Why is it that revolutionary Socialism has never taken root in this country? It is because Liberalism has done its duty, and has not been afraid to advance steadily on the never-ending road of progress. In no country in the world is property more secure, is there less envy of the rich, is contentment more widely diffused than in this favored land. That happy result has been achieved because a strong sense of social justice has animated our statesmanship generation after generation. Nothing would do more to destroy it than a policy of social injustice like Protection. The exploitation of the nation for the sake of "the interests" and a tax on the food of the poor would breed more Socialists in a year than the S. D. P. would convert in a century.—Daily Chronicle.

The Suffragettes.

There will, we imagine, be no sympathy whatever, outside the ranks of the Suffragettes themselves, for the two women who were sent to hard labor by the Birmingham stipendiary, for their share in the disturbance connected with the Prime Minister's visit to Bingley Hall. That such action should be necessary (as all sober-minded folk, whatever views on the question of the suffrage, must see that it is) is much to be deplored; but these women have nobody to thank but themselves. We observe that they are reported to have seemed surprised at the sentence, and no doubt they were, because magnanimity, hitherto, have shrank from inflicting the full penalty which the law allows. It would have been better if they had been less squeamish at an earlier date; but now that a beginning has been made, we hope that other cases will be treated with similar salutary severity.—Pall Mall Gazette.

The Happiest People.

The happiest men and the happiest women are the men and the women who retain the characteristics of the child. Certainly many saints and many heroes have resolutely put away childish things when they have attained manhood. But the child, who has attained manhood, is a little-to-be-cherished estate, but after all, the Peter Pans, the men who resolutely refuse to grow up, are the salt of the earth. They retain their illusions—which are often the greatest wisdom. They can laugh and love and play until the almond tree flourishes and old age fastens upon them. "The public," Dr. Chalmers once said with utter scorn, "is nothing but a great baby." The saying was really uttering a splendid truth.—London Express.

The Bishop and the Stage.

Whatever may be the result of the inquiry on the subject of the Censorship much will have been done to illuminate the subject of the stage. The bishop of Southwark, whom we have long come to recognize as one of the most powerful lay lords in the church to-day, discovered a remarkable interest in the problems of the drama. Probably the one effective way of keeping the stage within those limits which are so difficult to define and yet are so clear to the mind would be the cultivation of public opinion, and we are convinced that if more men concerned for public morals shared the intelligent interest which the bishop of Southwark takes in the stage there would be small room for complaint.—London Daily News.

The Budget.

To draw back at the last moment from the rejection of a money bill, to shrink from the financial chaos that would ensue, to hesitate about exposing their own prestige and constitutional powers to absolute destruction, is the counsel of prudence, but at the same time by one means or another, by wrecking bills and arousing discontent throughout the Kingdom—the government is to be forced, not only to dissolve at a moment when things are at the slack and many of its efforts have been thwarted. That appears to be the change of front to-day. It is a natural manoeuvre, but almost too transparent. We can trust the people to see through it, and in any case the great reforming measure of the Budget will be secured.—London Daily News.

Revolution of Temperament.

The special characteristic of English political life, the spirit of prudent compromise which has rendered our unwritten constitution possible and workable, is in danger of passing away, and the danger of constitutionalism is becoming the proselyte of that combination of leading-strings and violent faction which passes for self-government abroad. This is what the philosophical foreigner sees in the struggle for which we are all so lightly buckling on our armor, and he is not wrong. In the extreme tortuosity of the English mind, not on which side a deeper revolution will have been accomplished in this country than has ever been known in its history. It will be a revolution not merely of political forms, but also of political temperament.—Daily Graphic.

The Solace of the Garden.

The experienced gardener will expect many losses in his rock garden this winter; but at present he can enjoy it more than usually. In autumn, and good gardeners make the most of what they get. It is something to have a brilliant patch of gentians flowering at the end of September, even if the specious ill-effects elsewhere are too dejected to open their stained and spotted buds. And then this wet, unless autumn is a very good one for planting. The gardener can begin early, without fear of drought, and get his borders ready for next year before the first serious frost. His pleasure, that seems so dependent on the weather, is really more independent of it than most pleasures, for almost every kind of weather suits some of his plants and some of his operations.—The Times.

The government is insisting upon the adoption of measures restricting the liberties of the press in Colombia. Newspaper proprietors have protested vigorously and the dispute promises to be a bitter one.



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The longevity of olive trees is extraordinary. In Syria recently have been found some remarkably ancient olive trees whose ages are established beyond question. A trust deed exists which relates to an orchard covering 50 trees near Tripoli, Syria, the trust deed having been issued 600 years ago. Though the trees look aged they still bear fruit of fine quality in abundance and are likely to maintain their productiveness for many hundreds of years yet. An olive grove near Beirut is admitted to

be the third largest olive farm in the world. Syrian fruit farmers are extending olive culture with much zeal and success. One planter recently set out 300,000 trees in a block for commercial purposes.

Under European systems of culture the Syrians make the olive trees bear each season, while in the old days one crop in three years was thought to be all that the trees could produce. The low cropping capacity of the trees was due to the native method of thrashing the fruits from the branches with sticks, which seriously injured them. The methods of grinding the olives for oil and picking the fruit are peculiar. Neither the grinders nor pickers received wages, but are paid on percentage. The pickers receive 5 per cent. of the actual fruit-picked and the grinders get 10 per cent. of the fruit ground.—Dundee Advertiser.

The largest churches in Europe will contain the following numbers: St. Peter's, Rome, 54,000; Milan Cathedral, 37,000; St. Paul's, London, 25,000; St. Sophia's, Constantinople, 23,000; Notre Dame, Paris, 21,000; Pisa Cathedral, 15,000; St. Mark's, Venice, 7,000.

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One in search of information regarding technical education cannot do better than commence his tour of investigation at Montreal, and in the Canadian Pacific railway shops, writes the Globe's Montreal correspondent. The "Angus shops" cover many acres of ground, and give occupation to thousands of skilled artisans. It is not surprising that the company should have found it no easy matter to keep up an adequate supply of qualified workmen in all the varied kinds of work performed daily within this immense establishment, or that it should have occurred to the officials that one way to supply the demand was to provide a systematic educational training for the apprentices in the shops themselves. So far as they are concerned, the company has now in operation a technical school, and this may become a very important educational institution if the progress made during the past two years is maintained.

Applicants for apprenticeship must be not under fifteen or over twenty-one. When selected they are kept one year on probation, at the expiration of which they must pass an examination in reading and dictation, elementary arithmetic, including fractions, frehand drawing or mechanical objects, Canadian history and geography. To those who pass this test, whose conduct has been good, and who have served the full time prescribed for the department of the service they have entered, the company grants a certificate of apprenticeship. The terms are five years for machinists, five for brass finishers, four for boiler-makers, five for pattern-makers, four for painters, five for tool-makers, five for electricians, five for car-builders, three for grey iron moulders, four for cabinet-makers, four for blacksmiths, four for plumbers, and four for carpenters. These terms have no doubt been fixed as the result of long experience and careful observation, but it is obvious that what is accomplished in the ordinary way of incidental training in the workshop may be infinitely bettered by making the training at once more systematic and more scientific. A purely empirical training is never safe in any kind of active life; it is apt to break down in the most unexpected and disastrous ways. To guard against this source of weakness in its service the company has instituted the course of training now in operation as above mentioned.

It is announced by the company that schools of instruction will be established at all the principal shops of the system, where shop arithmetic, shop practice, frehand and mechanical drawing, and other subjects will be taught. The instruction will be given in three grades: A junior class open to first-year apprentices; a general instruction class open to second-year apprentices and upwards; and an ad-

vanced class, open to apprentices completing their second-year course. The work of the junior class will be optional, and when taken by the apprentice it will be a preparation for the examination above mentioned. For second-year apprentices the work will be obligatory for two years, or more, and for two days each week from September to June inclusive. To each of the best ten members of the general instruction class there will be awarded each year a scholarship entitling him to free tuition in the advanced course, which will include mechanical, electrical, boiler, or car work, each apprentice being permitted to select his own course. Those who have not completed the advanced course at the close of their apprenticeship may continue it in the winter evening classes mentioned below. All who attend the classes in any of the grades will be paid for their time, and a record of their progress will be kept in the office of the supervisor of apprentices. The work of instruction in the school is not intended to replace but only to supplement that done in the shop by skilled mechanics who are held responsible for teaching the apprentices the best methods of using machine and bench tools and of doing the work they have elected to take up as their future calling. It is intended that the shop instructors shall be held responsible for the moral as well as the practical training of the boys. The highest prize offered for competition is a scholarship in McGill University, tenable for four years at that institution, the winners being employed by the company during their vacation. These scholarships are two in number and are limited to sons of employees.

During the winter months evening classes are established for men who desire to improve themselves, and for those apprentices who care to take advantage of them. The men are provided with a substantial meal at the close of the day's work, and are presented with the instruments needed in the class work they are to do. The work is done under favorable conditions as to comfort, and the practical instruction is of the best and most useful sort.

The educational work above described is carried on in the Angus shops under the supervision of H. H. Vaughan, assistant to the vice-president of the company; of Lacey R. Johnson, assistant superintendent of motive power, and W. E. Fox, master carbuilder. These officials take a keen personal interest in the welfare of the apprentices, and firmly believe that a properly organized apprenticeship system would do much to give stability to the service as well as provide more effective safeguards against the railway accidents that cause so much destruction to life and property. The practical administration of the system in the Angus shops is Martin Gower, a graduate of London and Cambridge Universities, with practical engineering experience, who has made a specialty of apprentice work for several years, both in the workshops and in schools. Mr. Gower's ideal is not a mere trade school, but such a course of instruction as will involve a great improvement in the class of workmen in one of the most extensive and complicated industrial organizations in the world.

AVIATORS' REWARD.

New York, Oct. 16.—Whitcomb Wright received \$12,500 from the Hudson-Fulton commission for the spectacular flight he made on New York bay and up the Hudson during the celebration. Curtiss received \$5,000.

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Bishop's Picture of Peaceful
Ireland, Which He Terms
a Spoilt Child.

Few more striking pictures of the condition of modern Ireland have been drawn than that presented to his diocesan synod at Cavan, says the London Express, by Dr. EMMET, bishop of Kilmore, Elphin and Ardagh. And he is a man who should know, for he has lived and worked in the "distressful isle" ever since he was ordained to the ministry of the Church of Ireland in 1853.

Throughout my long life I cannot call to mind a time when the spirit of unrest so completely possessed the people of Ireland. Discontent and lawlessness have almost become universal. Yet how strange! There are now no harsh laws, no political disabilities which should make the people restive. It is a time of amelioration, for boons and blessings are flooding the land. Still, bitter complaints and hatred of British rule in Ireland are openly expressed. The sentimental temperament of the Irish is so abused by the agitator that they are taught to regard history only from the side of their wrongs; their own faults are not considered.

If we examine the situation in the sober light of truth, we shall find that the typical Irishman is highly favored. In order to make him owner of his farm, the state has undertaken to advance nearly \$500,000,000, giving sixty-eight years for repayment of principal and interest. A large amount of public money is given to teach him to improve his method of agriculture. Two departments have been created for his special benefit—the estates commission and the congested districts board.

His farm is stocked for him if he has neither cattle nor money, and if, through his improvidence, he is evicted from his farm, he will be reinstated or provided with another farm.

Banks are established to keep him out of the toils of the goblin man. Year by year he receives a grant that relieves him from the payment of his taxes.

Schools are provided for his children, not costing him one penny. A university is founded for him only, and required to satisfy his religious scruples, and a civil army guards his life and property.

Yet we find honest and religious people with their consciences sanctioning that which violates the golden rule of the Gospel and tramples upon the laws of society.

Most to be regretted is the fact that those who should be the people's mentors encourage them in their malpractices. Men of position, from the rural councillor to the member of parliament, openly express their sympathy and defend what they should be ashamed to excuse.

Lawlessness makes extra police necessary, and when the cost of the service is required the very men who encourage the lawlessness denounce it as unjust.

Men break their neighbors' gates and fences; they drive his cattle and conspire to ruin him by boycotting. Being arrested, they refuse to give security for good behavior and are sent to prison. At once the Nationalist member of parliament proclaims the innocence of the prisoners and iniquity of the sentence. Some one is decreed for lawful debt. Immediately he obstructs roads leading to his house, bars doors and windows, and assaults the sheriff. The police interfere. Lines and water are thrown upon them from the houses.

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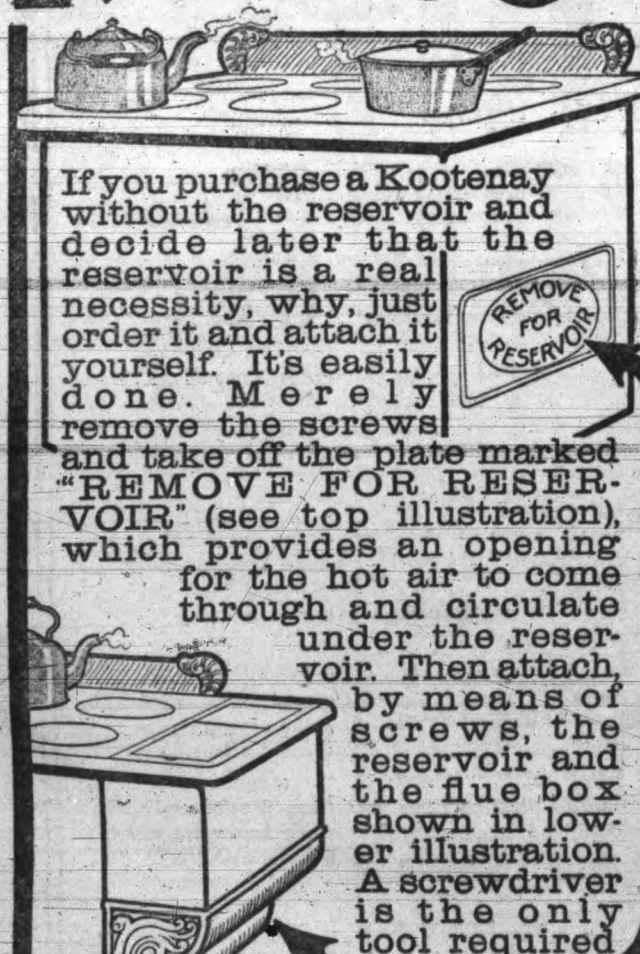
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what the people want, but what they wish for.

A law is now being made which will compel a man to give up his property at a price in the naming of which he shall have no voice. Our rulers are prepared to yield anything, even Home Rule, hoping that indulgence will exorcise the spirit of hatred and distrust of the English. But time will show whether the treatment that would spoil a child can produce good citizenship and independence of character in adults.

PROPOSED LINE TO UNGAVA.

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—The St. Lawrence and Ungava Railway Company gives notice of application for a charter to construct and operate a line of railway from a point on the St. Lawrence river in the county of Berthier, Quebec, northerly through the counties of Joliette, Berthier, Maskinonge, St. Maurice and Champlain to the north-

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"Ragged Robin."

Augustus Pitou will present Chauncey OLCOTT at the Victoria Theatre on Monday night, in his successful play, "Ragged Robin." Mr. OLCOTT is credited with having made one of the greatest, if not the greatest success of his entire career in this piece, which is in a way, a departure from the line of dramas he has been appearing in for some years. Like all of the others, however, it is a clean, wholesome play, without a single line or situation that is suggestive of vulgar.

"Ragged Robin" has a delightfully simple peasant love story for a plot. It was written by Rida Johnson Young, in collaboration with Rita OLCOTT; and the authors have done some excellent work in infusing a



CHAUNCEY OLCOTT.

Who Will Appear in "Ragged Robin" at the Victoria Theatre on Monday Night.

thoroughly typical Celtic atmosphere into the story.

The music is not the least important part of the performance. Mr. OLCOTT has composed a number of new songs for "Ragged Robin," all of which are of the catchy, melodic order. In addition to these numbers there is a beautiful incidental setting, composed by Frederick Knight Logan, in which several Ossianic airs will be heard for the first time in this country. The fairy music is particularly fine.

"Lo" Next Week
"Your money back if you want it any time during the performance or after, if you think the show is not worth it," is the guarantee which the management of the Victoria Theatre offers to every purchaser of a ticket for "Lo," the new musical comedy with which John E. Young comes to that house on Tuesday night.

Mr. Young was last seen here as the star of "The Time, Place and the Girl," and his role in "Lo," that of a fly young Tammany politician, is similar in character and quite as attractive as that which he played last season.

A. Baldwin Sloane wrote the eighteen musical numbers of the piece, among them being "Little Old Main Street," "You Can Always Be My Sweetheart," "Love Is All That Matters," "Tammany On Parade," and "Good Morning Mr. Sator," and they have all the swing and tunefulness which made his numbers in "The Gingerbread Man," "Jack and the Beanstalk," "The Mocking Bird," etc., so popular.

"The Climax"
Every member of the cast of players which will give "The Climax" at the Victoria Theatre Friday and Saturday next, week, is not only an actor, but also a piano player, singer and especially an educated musician. Joe Weber, the producer, has had a great deal of difficulty in securing players who combine these talents. He is said to have seen over 1,500 players before the proper material could be secured.

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and Considine circuit. There will be a 20-minute gale of laughter ascending to the roof of the popular vaudeville house at each show next week when the company with Ed. Gallagher in the principal part, Lou Shean and Shaky Shultz and George Hoffman in the third character appears. Outside the comic element of the piece the scenery brought along by the company is a feature alone for any show. Mr. Gallagher will be heard in several fitting German songs which have made him a favorite heretofore. The whole show is shown on a battleship of the Dreadnought character.

To support the big act the Grand will have Mlle. Martha, an aerial gymnast, refined and graceful, late of the Keith and Proctor circuit and from the London Pavilion, where she drew the crowds for several hundred nights. The turn is one of the best acts going, and concludes with a wonderful rope descent that compels a furor of applause.

Steeley and Edwards, a musical pair, with cornet, saxophone and piano, add the musical part to the programme. As they have succeeded in entertain-



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ing thousands of people elsewhere, it is expected they will be a success here also, where merit is always recognized.

Dorothy Dahl, a versatile comedienne appearing alone for a twelve-minute turn, will give three new songs, the third of which is entitled "Redhead," is quite a new one in the west, and is sung in a most acceptable manner.

"The Pawns," "Two Much Shuff," "Summertime" and "Faithful Little Doggie," are the other pictures shown. J. Kelway, the soloist, is singing "Where Snowflakes Crown the Hills" in good style.

Empress Theatre.
A bill consisting of five sets of moving pictures and one illustrated song will be shown every hour this evening at the Empress theatre. The performance starts at 7 o'clock and closes at 10 o'clock. The films are all good ones.

"The Montana School Marm" depicts a young lady who is entrusted with the work of teaching a number of school children away out on the prairie, and shows the troubles that ensue. "Sheridan's Ride," recalls the scenes of the great civil war in the United States. General Sheridan after the arduous ride gathers his scattered followers together and turns defeat into victory.

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Romano Theatre.
One of the best programmes of motion pictures ever shown in this city will end this evening at the Romano theatre. At a heavy cost the manager-

ment decided to give the public a treat and they certainly have.

The big marathon race between Shrub and Longboat is one of the films and shows the various movements of these two professionals. "The Odd Fellows' Parade at Seattle," in another of the films and portrays a number of the lodges, from various places. The other pictures "Antiquary Bargain," "Blind Boy," "An Old Maid's Dream" and "Father Gets into the Game," are creditable ones, and taking the bill together, it is well worth witnessing. There is no illustrated songs this week as the numerous pictures allow no time for them.

Majestic Theatre.
At the Majestic theatre this evening a good bill of motion pictures is offered to the many patrons of this popular house. Throughout the week the manager reports having had full houses for each show and promises that pictures equally as good will be shown next week.

"King Lear," one of Shakespeare's masterpieces, is the feature of the show, while the film "The Construction of the Panama Canal" is a good second. The latter shows various sights along the course of the canal, the steam shovels at work and the two terminals Colon and Panama. All school children should see this picture as it will help them in their studies. The other pictures are "The Troublesome Satchel," and "The Helen's Escape," which complete the bill for this week.

The illustrated song is "Love Me Dreamy Eyes" and is sung by Miss Richards in excellent voice.

MADAME JOMELLI
COMING TO CITY
Victoria Musical Society Will Open Concerts With High Class Singer.

An admirably selected concert company will be the first attraction of the musical season offered by the Victoria Musical Society. Mme. Jeanne Jomelli, one of the best of the younger operatic sopranos accompanied by Marie Nichols and Magdalene Worden will appear at the Victoria Theatre on Monday October 18th. Jomelli's operatic achievements are too well known for lengthy comment and the future she created at Ocean Grove this last July is still fresh in the memory of the music lovers. The Amsterdam soprano roused 11,000 people to the highest pitch of enthusiasm. Miss Nichols the violinist is also an admirable artist, equipped in every sense as musician and interpreter. The programme arranged by these three artists is one of unusual beauty and variety and cannot but please the tastes of every one.

Social and Personal

R. D. Bruce left for Vancouver last evening.

J. C. Hyde leaves this evening for Vancouver.

W. F. Best is spending a few days in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Greer, of Vancouver, are in the city.

Mrs. Whittier returned from Seattle yesterday afternoon.

E. R. Muddy made a trip to Vancouver last night on the Charnier.

J. E. Smart was a passenger on the Charnier last evening for Vancouver.

E. R. Ricketts, lessee of the Victoria theatre, arrived in the city yesterday.

Hon. W. J. Bowser crossed over to the mainland last night on the Charnier.

Mrs. H. Briggs sailed for Vancouver yesterday afternoon on the Princess Victoria.

C. H. Gillis, of Vancouver, returned to his home town after spending a number of days here.

James A. Fullerton, ship's husband to the C.P.R. Pacific liners, is in the city to meet the Empress.

S. W. Eastman was among the passengers from Seattle yesterday afternoon on the Princess Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bennett, of Nanaimo, are spending a week's holiday in Victoria, and are the guests of Mrs. E. H. Hides.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Prior, of this city, spent a few days visiting the fair in Seattle, and returned on the Princess Victoria yesterday.

Mrs. Alex. McCrimmon, 539 Linden avenue, will be at home to her friends on Wednesday, October 20th, from 3 to 5 o'clock, and from 8 to 10 o'clock; thereafter, on the third Wednesday in each month.

W. Garland Foster, editor of the Nelson Daily News, who has been a visitor to the city for the past few days, left last night for Vancouver, where he will spend a few days before proceeding to the interior on his return home.

W. J. McKay and Mrs. McKay, of Duncan, were in the city yesterday on their way to Vancouver. Mrs. McKay with her two children, was en route to Nova Scotia on a protracted visit to her parents at Stellerton. Pitou county, where her father manages the Numedie Mining Company. Mr. McKay accompanied his wife as far as Vancouver.

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IMMIGRATION STILL BOOMING

CANADA'S AGENT IN
LONDON IS HAPPY

J. Obed Smith Points Out to an
Interviewer Grounds for
Satisfaction.

Sufficient time has elapsed since the beginning of the year for an estimate to be made of the year's immigration to Canada. As far as quantity goes the figures for this year, showed a decrease on those of last year. For the first seven months ending July 31st the departure of British subjects to Canada numbered 16,262, as compared with 19,786 in the corresponding period last year, says Canada. But figures are not always as conclusive as they appear to be; at least, that is so in immigration returns. A representative of Canada called on Mr. J. Obed Smith, the superintendent of Canadian emigration, at his office at Charing Cross, and rather expected to hear him give a gloomy account of his year's work. He found Mr. Obed Smith, on the other hand, pleased and satisfied.

"I suppose," said the representative, in the course of conversation, "that the reduction in the number of emigrants to Canada this year is due to the more stringent restrictions imposed by the Canadian government on emigrants?"

"As the new regulation partially closed the open door," said Mr. Obed Smith, "it is obvious that our efforts had to be redoubled to secure even an approximately equal number of emigrants to that obtained in other years. But you must not suppose I am grumbling at the restrictions. They were necessary. We are now getting the right sort of emigrant. In previous years we secured one hundred suitable and fifty unsuitable were worse off than if we got one hundred suitable and one unsuitable. The fifty unsuitable were not only unsuitable themselves, but they deteriorated the bulk. They were worse than useless, being a mischievous factor. To show what care we have taken over our emigrants, I need only tell you that only one person passed by this office has been returned by the authorities on the other side, and that case would not have happened had we not been completely misled by those who gave the emigrant in question a good character."

"How do the homestead entries compare with those of last year?"

"The homestead entries are the best test of the kind of emigrant in this case you will see that we have done considerably better than last year. Badly as we need laborers, the would-be homesteader is, of course, the emigrant we

like best to secure. Look at these figures and you will then understand why I am satisfied with this year's immigration."

In the month of July last year there were 2,815 entries as against 4,218 this year—a net increase of 1,403 for the month. The figures for the first seven months of this year and last year were as follows:

	1909.	1908.
January	1,308	1,453
February	1,564	1,420
March	2,592	1,887
April	4,602	2,987
May	2,249	2,773
June	4,205	3,247
July	4,248	2,811
Total	21,562	16,561

Total increase 4,998

"That," said Mr. Obed Smith, "is sufficient proof that Canada has done well this year in the matter of immigration."

"Of what nationality were the bulk of the homesteaders?"

"Here are the figures for July, when there were 4,248 entries. Of these, 1,182 were classified as Canadians, 340 persons who had previous entry, 2 Newfoundlanders, 56 were Canadians who returned from the United States, 1,259 Americans, 507 English, 154 Scotch, 57 Irish, 32 French, 14 Belgians, 7 Swiss, 2 Italians, 3 Romanians, 3 Syrians, 58 Germans, 26 Austro-Hungarians, 4 Hollanders, 10 Danes, 20 Icelanders, 73 Swedes, 81 Norwegians, 34 Russians, and 1 New Zealander."

"I suppose in spite of the restrictions you still need men of the right sort in Canada?"

"Canada has still many millions of unoccupied lands in the wheat belt, and we could do with half a million Britishers to develop this tract of country—country that will well reward the labor put into it."

"Do you still offer land free?"

"Yes, the Canadian government offers at present a free homestead of 160 acres to anyone who is willing to conform to the simple regulations laid down."

"You find the Britisher slow to take advantage of the offer?"

"Yes, while he is thinking about it other people are taking up the best homesteads at the rate of twenty to twenty-five thousand a year. The land that is thus offered free is excellent for wheat-growing, being similar to the black soil of Southern Russia, which, as you know, is considered unrivaled. The land, indeed, is so rich that year after year farmers go on cultivating the same land without fertilizing it."

"You still only ask for farmers and agricultural laborers as emigrants. Do you not need other kinds of labor?"

"What we need in that way comes without our asking. One cannot help wondering why the Canadian government does not offer some kind of bonus to suitable British laborers, of whom there are only too many unemployed, to induce him to emigrate."

"When one hears so constantly of the dearth of labor in Canada, especially at this season, one cannot help wondering why the Canadian government does not offer some kind of bonus to suitable British laborers, of whom there are only too many unemployed, to induce him to emigrate."

"The Canadian government does at

ready spend a considerable sum in procuring immigrants to assist in developing the vast resources of the country; but it would be useless to spend money in the way you suggest, for, with the United States lying just below, and the boundary easy to cross, they should have no guarantee that they should keep the men in Canada whom we had paid to come."

"During the past few years Canada has received so much attention from the British Press that you ought to have benefited by it."

A Reply to a Critic.

"Yes, I think we have, but a great deal of my time is taken up in refuting statements about Canada that are often absurd and very misleading. For instance, the other day a correspondent, signing himself 'Vagrant,' wrote a long letter to a weekly paper, in which he described the wheat-growing tract of Canada, and asked, as if he had settled all argument by so doing, 'In what way does Manitoba or the N. W. T. differ over Siberia except in the fact of being under British rule? In the farming sense, what advantage can Northern Canada claim over Siberia? Yet what farmer would dream of consigning his son to that dreary solitude? Evidently 'Vagrant' does not know that Siberia contains to-day many millions of the choicest wheat-producing land in the world, and as there are cold parts in Canada so there are in Siberia, and in parts of Europe, too, for the matter of that. The presence of snow on the ground in Canada, which seems to strike 'Vagrant' as so very terrible, is proved and admitted to be one of the most valuable assets to farmers. More than the spring sunshine can overcome, and to certain chemical properties in the snow must be attributed to a large extent the fact that grain crops are produced year after year without fertilizing."

"Then again, the same correspondent says, 'Take away wheat and could the settler exist? It is true that most newcomers in Canada turn to wheat in the first instance, but mixed farming is generally the order of the day as settlement gets older, so that if a farmer's wheat crop should fail he has not all his eggs in one basket, and he would still exist. In one statement 'Vagrant' was accurate. He said that farm laborers were hard to get in Canada, that they do in the Old Country. Two reasons are sufficient to explain why this is so. In the first place the farmer in Canada is a man who works in the field with his help, and has his own teams to look after, and the labor has at least the satisfaction of knowing that when he does a good day's work he has made his own money. And secondly, the farm laborer has some ambition to work harder in Canada, because it means that he can save in two or three years quite sufficient to enable him to start on land of his own, and be a land-owner in his own right on a freehold land—a position which he can seldom hope to reach in the Old Country. I could read your scores of letters from settlers which show that men who are ready to work in Canada prosper and appreciate the conditions of life in the country that 'Vagrant' paints in such ugly colors."

"But, on the whole, Canada is a land spoken of in the press as the country for the settler and the investor."

"Yes, that is so. It is only every now and then that anything quite so misleading as 'Vagrant's' letter is published."

"How do the good harvest prospects affect your department?"

"They effect us, of course, in much the same way as general prosperity affects the credit of the country, by showing the increased opportunities for the emigrant year after year. There is every prospect that this year's immigration will amount to 180,000 people. These immigrants will bring in with them at the lowest estimate \$50,000,000. This all goes to swell the wealth of the country. Here is a table supplied by the Canadian writer, the money that is received in this year in connection with the crops and the tillers of the soil is summed up as follows:

Settlers	\$ 60,000,000
Wheat, oats, and barley	158,000,000
Other crops	20,000,000
Live stock	20,000,000
Total	\$258,000,000

In addition, you must remember that a further sum, estimated at \$25,000,000, is being expended in railway construction this year to open up an increased area of grain-producing territory."

THE AMERICA'S CUP.

Sir Thomas Lipton Hopes to Arrange for Another Race.

London, Oct. 16.—Sir Thomas Lipton, who sails for New York on the steamer Cedric to-day, talked rather encouragingly yesterday of the prospects of securing another try at the America's cup.

"I am going to New York," he said, "in the hope of arranging another race. I realize that there are many difficulties in the way, but I am confident they can all be overcome, because I know that the New York Yacht Club is composed of good sportsmen, who, rather than have the race die a natural death, will, I feel sure, do their utmost to meet me. Neither country wishes the race to become a dead letter. I have made three attempts to life the cup, and always have been licked fairly and squarely, and I am anxious to make another try. I know the New York Yacht Club wants to build a wall around the old mug, and I look forward to having a fighting chance with a fourth Shamrock, under conditions which will be equally favorable to all. If both boats start on even terms at Sandy Hook, it is bound to be one of the best races the world has ever seen. For the sake of international sport, I say, win or lose, let's have a race."

SOUTH POLAR EXPEDITION NOW

CAPT. SCOTT FORMS
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Attempt.

Considerable satisfaction has been expressed at the statement that Captain R. F. Scott, M.V.O., will organize and lead a new British expedition to the South Polar regions. The motto of the British navy has long been "thorough," and "thorough" will be the word that will govern the fitting up and control of Captain Scott's second expedition in the Antarctic regions.

The best of equipments, the best of scientific intelligence, and the best of seamanship will be gathered together upon the new Discovery, when she starts next August upon her long journey to the South. The science of navigation is in the British navy, brought to a greater height of excellence than is to be found elsewhere, and whatever the results obtained upon this voyage, there will not be any opportunity given for doubting that the records made will be accurately and exactly reported. Already hundreds of applications have been received from naval men, scientists, and others who are desirous of joining this expedition, but it is unlikely that the number taken will exceed fifty. Captain Scott's crew will be entirely drawn from the ranks of scientists and sailors—some of the sailors who are going to the South Pole and some of the work undertaken will be of the most comprehensive character, including full geographical, geological, and magnetic surveys of the regions traversed.

Captain Scott is quietly optimistic, says a London exchange. "Of course, I am extremely hopeful that I shall reach the Pole," he said, "or I should not be undertaking the journey. In spite of recent successes in other directions, I do not think the task of reaching the South Pole is as easy as it is imagined to be. Something more than a larger supply of food than which served Mr. Shackleton's purpose will be required to cover the extra distance to the Pole itself. I expect it will be found necessary to 'drop' the transport animals at some point near the same place that Mr. Shackleton found it necessary to discard them. From that point it will probably be, as it was with him, a question of man haulage. The only way that Mr. Shackleton's marching records can be beaten is by having a larger body of men who will advance in a manner speaking by relay. Thus, if we start with twelve men and get, say, a third of the distance towards the Pole, we can leave four or six men behind and let the others push on from the point gained with a full load of supplies."

"Another thing that may militate against us is the fact that there is at present a bad weather conditions, or we may have some slight accidents which, while it would have been impossible to foresee, it might have the most disastrous consequences."

"Our bases will be one at McMurdo Sound and the other at the end of the Great Ice Barrier itself, in King Edward VII Land, at a point about 60 degrees south of Cape Colbeck. They will be about latitude 77deg. 45min. or, roughly, about 750 geographical miles from the Pole as the crow flies, or about 870 land miles."

"It can hardly be said we have lost time, for on Saturday we had no time for rest or reorganization. Now we are fairly under way, and the work will be pushed on at once. A clerical staff has been engaged, and I hope to start next November for Norway, where I shall purchase sleds and travelling equipment generally (fur clothing, fur boots, etc.) for the expedition. The public support that we need, and I am appealing, therefore, to Britons all over the world to assist us. I cannot think that the great British public will be slow to support a British expedition, and an expedition actuated solely by patriotic motives. It must be remembered that, if we don't start, other nations will, and we can't afford to hang back."

"I don't mind admitting," said Captain Scott, smiling, "that recent American successes have hastened my actions somewhat, and I hope and believe my countrymen will support me in this effort."

Ponies and Motor Sleds.

"The programme is outlined pretty well by the general plan of this expedition. With regard to actual details, we must, of course, cut our coat according to our cloth. My great wish is that this should be an Imperial expedition, and that our Overseas Dominion should share in the undertaking. I am extremely desirous also that Australia and New Zealand, to whom this journey is naturally of the more vital interest, should be well represented on the staff of the expedition."

"We are taking full advantage of the knowledge obtained by those who have been before. The ponies proved their value on Mr. Shackleton's journey, and we shall, therefore, take a goodly number of these beasts. They will be bought in Manchuria, and shipped from China to New Zealand, where we shall take them on board. Also we shall have a

large supply of dogs, either Ostyuk, Samoyede, or Eskimo, and, in addition, we shall take three, if not four, motor sleds. Too much reliance will not be placed upon these, though personally I am inclined to think that they are a promising addition to Polar transport. Motor sleds have been subjected to very hard and exhaustive trials in the Alps and Norway, and come through them very well. They do not take up much space, and are not very heavy, not more than 600 lb. each.

"It may be interesting to know that we consider there will be some possibility of using wireless telegraphy upon this expedition. We shall be about 2,200 miles from the nearest post, but, at the rate at which this science is developing, we may be able to send, as undoubtedly we shall be able to receive, messages. We shall not carry portable apparatus, but simply have stations at the bases."

"We hope to be ready to start at the end of next July or the beginning of August, and to enter the ice regions in December. I am pleased to say that I have already received applications from many of my old crew of the Discovery, who are anxious to go with me again. Another interesting feature of this expedition will be the magnetographs we shall take—practically photographic records of the elements of magnetism, photographs of the horizontal and vertical force and intensity of the magnetic needle."

"What will invest these magnetographs with increased interest, for scientists will be the fact that the expedition will be equipped with the new gyrocompass—the first time this compass has been taken to Polar regions. The gyrocompass is absolute non-magnetic, therefore the decrease in directive force, which robs the magnetic compass of almost all its pointing power when in the vicinity of the South Magnetic Pole, will be avoided."

"In addition," concluded Captain Scott, "to the two expeditions Polarwards, a party will also winter in King Edward VII Land and carry out a long and exhaustive survey there. We hope to obtain the highest scientific results from our labor, and all that is necessary is, I am sure, that the public help us with funds."

Captain Scott has already appointed his second in command, Lieutenant E. R. G. Evans, R.N., an officer on the staff of the Navigation school at Portsmouth. Mr. Evans has had previous experience of Antarctic work, having taken part in two relief expeditions that went out with the ship Morning to Captain Scott's assistance in 1902-04.

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In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Purchased homesteads may be acquired on any available lands on either old or even numbered Sections south of Township 48, east of the Calgary and Edmonton Railway line. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$200.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST MINING REGULATIONS.

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PLACER MINING CLAIMS generally, 200 feet square. Entry fee, \$5.00. DREDGING.—Two acres of five miles of a river may be issued to one applicant for a term of 20 years. Rental, \$10 a mile per annum. Royalty, 2 1/2 per cent. after the output exceeds \$50,000.

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Deputy of the Minister of the Interior,
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WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

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DUTIES.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 160 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

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Among City Churches

ANGLICAN.

St. Saviour's.

Rural Diocesan Conference.—The rural diocesan conference of the Victoria diocese, held last Tuesday evening in St. Saviour's church, Victoria, West, was exceedingly well attended and much interest was taken in the proceedings. The agenda of the forthcoming synod meeting was discussed and in most part the meeting was favorable to the suggestion of the agenda. Considerable discussion took place over the Rev. C. E. Cooper's suggested plan for the superannuation of the clergy of this diocese. The details of the plan were thoroughly discussed and the principles of the plan were accepted.

Synod Meeting.—On Monday evening next the opening session of the annual meeting of the British Columbia synod will be held in the Cathedral, when Bishop Perrin will deliver his charge to the synod. On Tuesday morning the sessions proper will begin and the discussion of the agenda paper will take place. On Wednesday evening there will be an important missionary meeting in Christ Church school room, when addresses will be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Collinson and the Rev. Mr. Green. There will be a large attendance of clergy and laity at the sessions of the synod.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

Church of Our Lord.

Sunday Services.—To-morrow the Rev. T. W. Gladstone, rector, will preach at both services. In the morning his subject will be, "Some Offices of Our Lord," as found in the first chapter of the Book of Revelation; and in the evening, "Felix Trembled."

Thursday Prayer Meetings.—The studies in the Book of Revelation which occupy the attention of those attending the Thursday evening meeting, continue to arouse great interest. Many are enjoying the study under the direction of the rector and the attendance increases as the weeks go by.

Ladies' Aid Society.—Much satisfaction is expressed over the fact that Mrs. Dr. Helmecken has accepted the presidency of the Ladies' Aid Society, and the members are settling down to their winter work. Meetings are held at the home of Mrs. McTavish, Heywood avenue, and much interest is being taken in the work.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First Church.

Christian Endeavor.—The prayer meeting on Thursday evening last was conducted by the Christian Endeavor Society and an address was given by Rev. Dr. Campbell on a scene from Pilgrims' Progress. "Christian and Hopeful in the dungeon in the castle of Giant Despair." Dr. Campbell showed that there were many ways into the dungeon of despondency and despair and only one way out, and that was the way of Christ Himself, who said, "I am the Way." In the story Christian almost gave up but Hope, his young fellow traveler, cheered him on until finally Christian thought of a key which he held in his bosom which would unlock every door of the dungeon. He tried the key in the lock and the bolt flew back so that both he and Hope escaped. That key is the promise of God and these promises fit any lock and will open any door that leads to Hope, Cheerfulness and Faith. There was a good attendance and much interest was taken in the meeting.

Church Union.—To-morrow morning Dr. Campbell will, in obedience to a request of the committee of the General Assembly, explain the basis of union as agreed upon by the joint committees of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches. Copies of the basis of union have been sent out to the churches and the pastors have been requested to take up the matter with their congregations and explain the details of the general scheme of union. Dr. Campbell will take the matter up to-morrow morning and bring it thus before his congregation.

St. Andrew's.

Young People's Society.—The Young People's Society are gratified with the success of the lecture given by Mr. Cameron last Tuesday. Although the inclement weather kept many away, yet there was a good sized audience, who saw the trip through the Dominion of Canada by means of lantern views and under the able guidance of Miss Cameron.

Church Union.—The pastor, Rev. W. Leslie, expects to take up the question of church union suggested by the committee of the General Assembly at the regular prayer services on Thursday evenings. This is to give the congregation a better chance to discuss the matter fully and to enter into a more detailed examination of the proposed plan than would be possible at a Sunday service.

St. Paul's.

Anniversary Services.—Anniversary services in connection with St. Paul's church Victoria West, will be held on Sunday, October 31st, and Tuesday, November 2nd. The Ladies Aid Society are preparing for the usual successful concert and social on Tuesday evening, November 2nd, and the services on the Sunday previous will be especially interesting.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Church.

Dr. Fagan's Lecture.—In spite of the unpleasant weather last Tuesday evening there was a fair turnout to the lecture given by Dr. Fagan under the auspices of the Men's Own Club. The subject of the lecture was one that Dr. Fagan can treat as an expert, "Tuberculosis," and much interest was taken by the audience in the facts and figures given by the doctor. Next Tuesday evening the Men's Own will hold an impromptu debate.

Young People's Society.—On Monday evening next the Young People's Society have arranged for one of Miss Agnes Deans Cameron's popular lectures to be given in the church. The subject of the lecture is "Wheat, the Wizard of the North," and it is said that this is the best of Miss Cameron's very instructive lectures. A large number of new slides will be shown to illustrate the lecture, and it is expected

that there will be a very large attendance.

Annual Gathering.—It is expected that the pastor, Rev. H. A. Carson, and a number of the members of the church will attend the fall meeting of the Federated Association (Congregational and Reformed Episcopal), which will be held in Vancouver on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The programme is an interesting one, and delegates will attend from all the churches in the federation in the Pacific Coast cities.

METHODIST.

Metropolitan.

Rev. T. R. McNair.—The sermon preached last Sunday morning by the Rev. T. R. McNair of the Saskatchewan Conference, on "Christian Rewards," was greatly enjoyed by the congregation. On Thursday evening at the regular prayer meeting service the subject was again taken up and discussed. There was a very interesting discussion, among those taking part being Messrs. Yebo, Boulding, Raynor, Charlton, Smith, Bailey, Mrs. McNair and others. The meeting was most helpful and was very largely attended.

Spring Ridge Epworth League.—The half-yearly election of officers of the Spring Ridge Epworth League took place last Tuesday evening with the following result: President, E. E. Westcott; first vice-president, Miss E. Chapman; second vice-president, Miss M. Noble; third vice-president, H. Moore; secretary, Miss Moore; treasurer, E. Emery; organist, S. E. Matthews; editor, Miss Wilson. Delegates were appointed to the forthcoming convention of Sunday schools and Epworth leagues of the Victoria district.

College Day.—Last Sunday was College Day in the Victoria West Methodist church and the Rev. Dr. Sippel held the claims of Columbian college before the congregation. There were large numbers present both morning and evening, and the eloquent doctor was listened to with great enjoyment.

Dr. Matthews.—The executive committee of the Men's Club is working on the details concerning the successful issue of the lecture to be given by Rev. Dr. Matthews of Seattle, on Monday, October 25th. Indications are that the church will be filled to its capacity to hear this famous speaker. The subject that is announced is one that appeals to men and many will rejoice to hear Dr. Matthews on "Civic Problems and Civic Righteousness."

Young Women's Club.—The opening banquet of the Young Women's Club will be held next Wednesday evening. The young ladies are making great preparations to ensure the success of the gathering and expect a very large number to be present.

Young People's Bible Class.—The members of the Young People's Bible class held their first social for the winter months last evening in the school room. There was a large attendance and a pleasant musical programme was given. Considerable enjoyment was had from a photograph guessing contest, and the evening passed very pleasantly.

Spring Ridge Bible Class.—The Berean Adult Bible class, of Spring Ridge, is planning for a social and concert to be given on Wednesday, October 27th. Some unique features will make the programme exceedingly interesting, and the young men are to be fully responsible for the refreshments. On condition of admission to the concert is to bring a friend with you. Much interest is being taken in the affair and it promises to be an abundant success.

Ladies' Guild.—There was a largely attended meeting of the Ladies' Guild last Friday, when plans were discussed for the annual sale of work to be held the latter end of November. The members of the guild would like every lady member of the congregation would have some part in the sale by either donating some article for sale or money to help the guild in their work.

Official Meeting.—The joint official boards of the church met last Tuesday evening and much business was discussed and transacted. The sum of \$25 was voted to the funds of the Bible Society. A letter was read from the president of the conference, Rev. J. A. Calvert, regarding the new mission boat The Homespun, and it was decided to ask the missionary, Rev. C. W. Webber, to lay the claims of the boat before the congregation. The board resolved to fall in line with the other churches of the city and take up an offering for the Jubilee hospital on Sunday, October 24th. Arrangements were also made for the Bazaar.

Visitors.—The Rev. O. M. and Mrs. Sanford, of Kamloops, were visitors to the city this week. They spent in Seattle and other Sound cities. Mr. and Mrs. Sanford were shown over the church premises and expressed themselves as astonished and delighted that such a splendid building existed in the city.

Services To-morrow.—The Rev. T. E. Holling will preach missionary sermons to-morrow in the Fairview Methodist church, Vancouver, and the pastor of that church, Rev. E. W. Stapleford, B.A., will occupy the pulpit of Metropolitan church. Mr. Stapleford is an attractive speaker and is doing splendid work in the Fairview church. There should be a large congregation to hear him to-morrow.

Patriotic Service.—It is expected that the services of Sunday, October 24th, will be of unusual interest, particularly the evening service. As it is the eve of the national thanksgiving day, the service will be patriotic. The pastor will preach on Canadian patriotism, and the choir will render appropriate music. The service will be of added interest as it will be the first time that the choir will appear in the surplices which have recently arrived in the city for their use.

Centennial.

Anniversary Services.—Anniversary and thanksgiving services will be held in Centennial church on Sunday, October 24th. The popular principal of Columbian college, Rev. Dr. Sippel, will be the preacher for the day, and it is expected that there will be large congregations. The choir will render a special musical programme. The following evening, Thanksgiving night,

there will be a social and concert in the school room, which promises to be of more than usual interest.

Men's Bible Class.—The membership committee of the Adult Bible class (men's), is making every effort to secure a larger membership and more regular attendance at the sessions of the class. As a result of their work the numbers are increasing every Sunday and much interest is being taken in the work. Each member is reminded that he is expected to bring with him to-morrow his suggestion for a suitable class motto. These suggestions will be discussed and a choice made from the number. It is expected that on Sunday week a visit will be paid to the class by the members of the Baraca class of First Baptist church.

James Bay.

W. M. S.—The monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society will be held next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McDonald, Elliott street, Epworth League. There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Epworth League last Monday evening, when the Rev. Wm. Stevenson, of Emmanuel Baptist church, delivered his lecture on "The Greatest Character in Fiction, Jean Val Jean." After discussing the claims of other great characters in fiction and showing how they came short of Victor Hugo's creation, Mr. Stevenson gave his reasons why he believed that Jean Val Jean was entitled to the first place. The lecture was listened to with intense interest. Thanksgiving Social.—The ladies Aid of James Bay church have decided to hold their Thanksgiving social on Thursday, October 28th, and active preparations are being made to ensure the success of the event.

Victoria West.

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BAPTIST.

First Church.

Sunday Services.—The Rev. H. C. Speller, who is supplying the pulpit of First church during the absence of the pastor, Rev. C. Burnett, has made a very favorable impression upon the congregation by his pulpit ability and thoughtful words. He will conduct both services to-morrow.

Baraca Class.—A special session of the Baraca class of First church will be held to-morrow afternoon in honor of the 19th anniversary of the organization of the Baraca movement. The Rev. H. C. Speller will teach the lesson and there will be a special programme of music. The class is taking much interest in this celebration.

Prayer Service.—On Thursday evening at the regular prayer service, Pastor Speller is conducting a study of the Epistle to the Ephesians. Much interest is being taken in the study by the members.

Tabernacle.

Half Yearly Meeting.—The half-yearly business meeting of the congregation of Tabernacle church was held last Thursday evening in the church. There was a good attendance of members and the reports presented by the different branches were most encouraging. The financial statement showed the following results for the nine months ending September 30th: Building fund, \$2,180.00; talent fund, \$1,071.69; missionary fund, \$215.15; Sunday school, \$183.01; S. Y. P. U., \$42.45; poor fund, \$21.30; a grand total of \$3,713.65. Besides the above amount the Sunday school raised \$83.85 for missions, and the mission band \$7, making a total of \$256 for missions raised during the nine months past. The congregation was much gratified at the excellent showing made by these reports, and are encouraged to increase their activities and carry on their church work with vigor. The election of officers will take place next Thursday evening.

Young People's Union.—The election of officers of the Young People's Union took place last Monday evening, and considerable interest was taken in the elections. The following is the list of officers: President, Miss L. A. Blackwell; vice-president, Miss M. Nichol; secretary, Miss M. McNutt; treasurer, Miss L. Jamieson; organist, Miss A. Etherington; conveners of committees, programme, the pastor; membership, Miss L. Jamieson; music, Mr. J. A. Birnie; mission, Mrs. Tapscott. A very great interest has been manifested in the inductive Bible studies conducted by the pastor and the average attendance is now forty at the weekly meetings.

Emmanuel.

Lecture Course.—The next lecture of the course arranged for will be given on Tuesday, 19th October, at the church when Rev. D. E. Hatt, B.A., of Vancouver, will give a dramatic recital consisting of selections from the poems of Dr. Wm. Drummond: "The Habitant," "Johnnie Courtean," and "The Voyager." The Nelson News, commenting on Mr. Hatt's work as an expressionist, says "that the fine rendering of a selection of the late Dr. Drummond's poems in the dialect was a revelation to many of the hearers." Tickets for the course, or single tickets may be had from members of the church or at the door on Tuesday night.

Pastor's Bible Class for Seniors.—Next Sunday the pastor will open up the subject, "The Christian in His Relation to God." The pastor, Rev. W. Stevenson, will conduct the services on Sunday, taking as his subject "The Motherhood of God," and in the evening, "How to be Happy Though Living a Study in Hedonism."

Thanksgiving.—On Sunday, 24th inst., there will be special happy Thanksgiving services. And on Monday there will be a united thanksgiving service to which the Baptist Brotherhood of Victoria will be invited. The Rev. H. C. Speller, at present supplying the pulpit of the First church during Pastor Burnett's absence in England, will preach the thanksgiving sermon, and other ministers are expected to take part. Refreshments will be served at the close. All Baptists are cordially asked to attend this service.

Sunday School Lesson

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October 24th, 1909.

Paul a Prisoner before Festus and Agrippa.—Acts 25: 6-12; Chap. 26.

Golden Text.—I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that He is able to keep that which I have committed unto Him against that day.—II. Tim. 1: 12.

Verse 6.—Who was this Festus referred to in this verse?

From the preceding five verses what had the Jews requested Festus to do?

Verse 7.—On what principle can you explain the bitter hatred which the Jews had for Paul?

Will a religious bigot, who is full of hatred as these Jews were, stop short of swearing to a lie to accomplish his purpose?

Should any Christian believe or circulate a charge against any person when he has not got ample proof of it?

Verse 8.—As a matter of fact had Paul, in any sense, broken any Jewish law?

Which, at this time, were really in the most unenviable situation, Paul or his accusers, and why?

Verse 9.—When a judge or a magistrate favors the prosecution, and makes harsh remarks against the prisoner during the taking of the evidence, thus prejudicing the jury, is such a man fit for a judicial position?

When a Christian is accused of wrong doing, and is innocent, should he insist upon his innocence or be patient and silent, and wait for the facts to speak?

Paul was no doubt wise in refusing to go to Jerusalem, but was he equally wise in not insisting that his trial be finished at Caesarea, and in his appeal to Caesar?

If you were a minister to be tried for a crime, which criminal would you rather select, a prejudiced conference, or synod, or general assembly, or convention, or a committee of secular high court judges?

Chap. 26: 1-11.—Who was this Agrippa and what had brought him to Caesarea?

If a man's cause is just, will a knowledge of all the facts always help him? What are the leading points here outlined, of Paul's defence before King Agrippa?

Why should it be thought a thing incredible with you that God should raise the dead?—v. 8.

Was Paul any better when he persecuted and killed than he was when he was put to death than the Jews were then in wanting to put him to death?

How do you estimate Paul's character before his conversion?

Verses 12-18.—What points of resemblance are there between Paul's conversion and that of a sinner's today?

Why did Paul so frequently describe his conversion?

What was God's object, as here described in Paul's conversion, and what is God's object in every conversion?

Verses 19-23.—Is it possible that some sinners get a call from God fully as marked as Paul's and yet refuse to comply and go on in their sins?

WHAT DIFFERENCE IS THERE BETWEEN A MAN BEFORE AND AFTER HE TURNS TO GOD? (THIS QUESTION MUST BE ANSWERED IN WRITING BY MEMBERS OF THE CLUB.)

Verses 24-32.—Why did Festus interrupt Paul and say he was mad?

Why did not Festus and Agrippa both turn to God, seeing that they were clearly convinced of the truth of Christianity and their need of salvation?

Why are not all persons Christians who have heard the voice of God calling them to repentance?

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CITY CHURCHES

(Notices for this column must reach the Times Office not later than 10 o'clock on Saturday morning in order to insure insertion.)

ANGLICAN.

Christ Church Cathedral, Burdette avenue. The services are: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning service and ante-communion, 11 a. m.; children's service, 3.30 p. m.; evening service, 7 p. m. The music follows:

Morning.
Voluntary—Andante Hy. Smart
Psalm for 17th Day—As set Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum Maundrell
Benedictus Garrett
Anthem 203, 40 and 47
Kyrie Smart
Hymns 2, 207 and 345
Voluntary—Postlude Guilman

Evening.
Voluntary—Offertoire B. Tours
Psalm for 17th Day—As set Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat Clare
Nunc Dimittis Clare
Anthem 203, 40 and 47
Vesper Hymn Middleton
Recessional Hymn 435
Voluntary—Postlude B. Tours

St. John's, Douglas street, corner of Fifth, guard, preacher, Rev. A. J. Stanley Ard. Harvest festival. Holy communion at 8 and 11 a. m. The music follows:

Morning.
Organ Voluntary 382
Processional Hymn 382
Psalm 203, 40 and 47
Te Deum Dykes in F
Benedictus Jacobs
Anthem—O. Give Thanks Unto the Lord 203, 40 and 47
Kyrie Burnett in A Flat
Gloria Tibi Burnett in A Flat
Hymns 382 and 312
Recessional Hymn 382
Organ—Postlude 382

Evening.
Organ Voluntary 382
Processional Hymn 382
Psalm 145, 147, 148 and 150
Magnificat Burnett in B Flat
Nunc Dimittis Burnett in B Flat
Hymns 382 and 312
Amen Burnett
Vesper Burnett
Recessional Hymn 382
Organ—Postlude 382

St. Barnabas', corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. m., when the Lord Bishop will be the celebrant; matins at 10.30 a. m.; choral eucharist and sermon at 11 a. m.; choral eucharist at 7 p. m. The preacher for the day will be the rector. All seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Morning.
Organ—Large Organ Handel
Communion Service Simper in G
Hymns 243, 313 and 191
Offertory Anthem Fitzgerald
Nunc Dimittis St. John
Organ—Quintum in G Mozart

Evening.
Organ—Cujus Animam Rosini
Psalm Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat Dr. Bunnett in F
Nunc Dimittis Dr. Bunnett in F
Hymns 256, 255 and 27
Vesper—Lord, Keep Us Safe This Night
Organ—Chorus in C Mozart

St. James', Quebec street, corner of St. John. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8 a. m.; ante-communion and sermon at 11 a. m.; children's service with intercession at 2.30 p. m.; evening service at 7 p. m. The music follows:

Morning.
Organ Voluntary Cathedral Psalter
Venite and Psalm Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum Hopkins in G
Kyrie 203, 40 and 47
Hymns 356 and 383
Organ Voluntary 356 and 383

Evening.
Organ Voluntary—March Mendelssohn
Hymn 382
Psalm 203, 40 and 47
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis Semper in F
Anthem—The Eyes of All Wait Upon Thee E. Clare
Hymns 203, 40 and 47
Vesper Hymn 203, 40 and 47
Organ Voluntary—Grand Offertoire, Wey

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

Church of Our Lord, Humboldt street. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sermons at both services by Rev. W. Gladstone. Morning subject: "Some Titles of Our Lord"; evening, "Felix Trembled." Thursday evening service at 8 with Bible study on Revelation 1. The music follows:

Morning.
Organ—Adagio Haydn
Venite and Psalm Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum Mercer
Benedictus—No. 1 391
Kyrie—VII. 203, 40 and 47
Hymns 241 and 222
Organ—Postlude J. E. Newell

Evening.
Organ—Large Handel
Hymn 382
Psalm—As set Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat Barby
Nunc Dimittis Barby
Hymns 298, 172 and 338
Doxology 382
Amen 382

CONGREGATIONAL.

First, corner of Blanchard street and Pandora avenue. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B.A., will preach. Subject of morning sermon, "The Business Instruct in Religion—What Will It Accomplish?" Evening theme, "Dedicated Sovereignty Restored and Dormant Power Awakened." Bible school, men's own Bible class, also adult Bible class for women at 2.30 p. m. Y. E. S. of W. W. W. literary meeting in form of an illustrated lecture on the subject, "Wheat, the Wizard of the North," by Agnes Deans Cameron, Monday, at 8 p. m. Thursday, at 8 p. m. the prayer meeting service. Strangers, visitors and friends are cordially welcomed.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, corner of Blanchard street and Pandora avenue. Rev. Dr. Campbell, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30 p. m. Morning meeting on Monday evening. Club meeting on Monday evening. In the morning Dr. Campbell will

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CHIEF OF POLICE TO

COLLECT ROAD TAX

Resolution is Passed at Meeting of Nelson City Council.

Nelson, Oct. 15.—Steps have been taken by the city council to make civic electors out of a large number of residents of this city who are not qualified by being either property owners, tenants of property or license holders. This simple transformation will be worked by the extraction of the annual road tax of \$2 per head. The matter was raised by Ald. McMorris, who inquired whether the road tax was being collected. The reply being in the negative, he remarked that it ought to be collected in time to qualify those who paid it for being placed upon the civic voters' list now in course of preparation. A motion was accordingly adopted, instructing the chief of police to collect the road tax during the month of October. This will make male residents over 21 years of age who have resided in Nelson since January 1st of the current year, eligible to have their names placed upon the voters' list.

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By-Law Providing for Expenditure of \$42,500 to Be Submitted.

Vancouver, Oct. 15.—The parks improvement appropriation by-law, which the city council will be asked to place before the ratepayers in January will call for an expenditure on Stanley, Mount Pleasant and Bismarck (Grandview) parks of \$42,500. This includes \$35,000 for rockwork on the Stanley park, purchasing a roller and erecting a \$7,000 wooden bridge; \$4,000 for grading Mount Pleasant park and putting up a band stand and club house in the Grandview park and grading it. The various routine improvements of the city parks will, of course, come out of general revenue.

It was decided to meet the civic bridge committee shortly and lay before it the commissioner's ideas in reference to the improvement of the harbor, which embrace the shipment of a street-wide causeway across to the park at the foot of Georgia street, with gates in the middle so that the water in the arm of Coal harbor may be retained at will. It is also proposed to effect a rearrangement of the gardens and roads on the Stanley park side of the present bridge.

The park superintendent was instructed to prepare the shipment of birds and animals to go to Sydney, Australia, in time for the next Australian boat.

Arrangements were completed for an exchange of birds and animals with the Victoria parks board. Some swans have already been received from there, and wolves, pheasants, finches and canaries will be sent over to the island.

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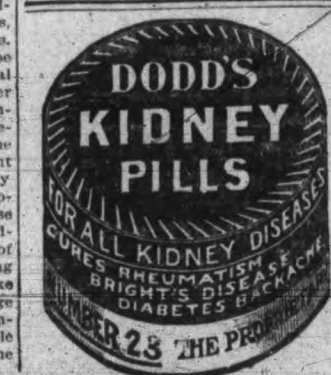
Chinamen Accused of Having Attempted to Bribe Mayor of Kamloops, Dismissed.

Kamloops, Oct. 15.—The case of Rex vs. Ah, Louis and Sing was disposed of at the assizes. The case, which was tried before Mr. Justice Clement at the last assizes, was one of alleged bribery. The Chinese prisoners were accused of having attempted to bribe Mayor Robinson to get the city hall to settle a case coming before him by a police magistrate in their favor; the case being one of assault, in which a man named Bennett was charged with having assaulted Ah, Louis.

Only two witnesses were called for the crown, Mayor Robinson and Chief McGill. The defence put Ah, Louis in the box, but as he could not make himself heard, he was withdrawn.

Mr. J. Russell, for the defence, urged upon his lordship that the case should be dismissed upon the ground that the indictment was improperly made out and Mr. MacIntyre, on behalf of Sing, urged that nothing whatever had been advanced against his client, and that the case, in so far as his client was concerned, should be withdrawn. His lordship held, however, in both cases that it would be better to allow the jury to deal with the charges.

After an absence of some ten minutes the jury brought in a verdict of "Not guilty," in which his lordship intimated that he heartily concurred.



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NOT GUILTY VERDICT IN HAGGEN CASE

Constable Thompson, of Salmon Arm, is Discharged at Kamloops Assizes.

Kamloops, Oct. 15.—E. A. Haggen, who was charged with obtaining money under false pretences, was honorably acquitted at the assizes here. To the verdict of not guilty, the jury added the following rider: "We, as a jury, strongly believe that proceedings should never have been taken against the accused." The addresses of counsel were quite brief, his lordship, however, went into the case at some length. He expressed at the outset a sentiment of disapproval of the courts being made use of to ventilate a case of this kind. He also commented upon the inherent probabilities of the stories told by the accused and the chief crown witness respectively, expressing his personal opinion that the preponderance of probability was in favor of Haggen's version of the matter.

Constable Thompson, of Salmon Arm, was honorably discharged without the charge against him going to the jury. The first and only witness called was William Valentine Leonard, justice of the peace for the province, of Salmon Arm. To the crown prosecutor, Mr. Leonard told of the facts leading up to the commitment of the accused.

In cross-examination by Mr. MacIntyre it was made apparent that the witness, the magistrate before whom the Indian, for whose release the prisoner was on trial, appeared, had blundered and his lordship intervened.

Mr. Justice Morrison asked why the prisoner should be accused of a crime, in face of the facts. It was evident that the magistrate, a very honorable and competent man, had made a mistake. Whilst it was true that the constable given him by the magistrate were other means of punishing him than by subjecting him to the ignominy of a criminal trial, it was obvious that the prisoner, in his action, had not been actuated by a criminal motive.

W. A. MacDonald, K. C., on behalf of the prosecution, said that in view of his lordship's idea of the case, he would like to see a withdrawal, at the same time he would like his lordship to impress upon the public the fact that no constable has a right to act on his own initiative or the advice of others in matters of this kind.

His lordship said that there was no question but that Constable Thompson had no right to let the prisoner go. The magistrate had ordered his retention and he had but to obey the order.

A. D. MacIntyre, for the accused, pointed out that a constable may be civilly liable for the wrongful detention of a prisoner and in the case in question, the constable had been so advised.

His lordship replied that a magistrate having given the prisoner in charge of the constable, no civil or other suit could successfully be brought against the latter.

The jury was then dismissed and the prisoner discharged.

IMPORTANT DEAL.

Velvet Mine Leased and Number of Employed to Be Increased.

Nelson, Oct. 15.—One of the most important mining deals put through in Kootenay this year was that which closed to-day, when Alfred McMillan arranged a lease on the Velvet mine near Rossland for the owners, a London, England, syndicate, to Ed. Ehrenberg, of Spokane. The consideration is not disclosed, but it is said to be the largest transaction made for some time in the mines of this district. The resumption of work at this property, which some years ago shipped considerable quantities of copper ore to the Northport smelter, means much to the Rossland camp, and under the energetic management of Mr. Ehrenberg, who was formerly superintendent at the Tiger-Poorman mine in the Coeur d'Alene camp, interesting developments are looked for on the property. Already arrangements have been made for the engaging of a large number of men, and the staff will be increased as development requires.

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he was a marked man. Not only was
he the nephew of his uncle, but he
made a reputation on his own account.
It was not, to be sure, a reputation of
the kind that every young man of six
and twenty would care to have. Mr.
Balfour was suspected of being some-
thing of a dandy and a good deal of
a dilettante. Tales of the enormous
hours he would lie in bed, of his pas-
sion for blue china, Burne-Jones and
roofs, and of the various nicknames he
had earned among the robust under-
graduates of Cambridge used to float
about the lobbies of the House.

His tall, willowy frame and a face
that was attractive but not strong bore
out his reputation. His manners seemed
to confirm it. He lounged about on
the benches with an air of the utmost
nonchalance, his long legs crossed in
front of him, his head resting on the
top of the bench's back, his eyes peace-
fully surveying the ceiling. It was dif-
ficult for the staid British household-
er to detect the makings of a states-
man beneath the show of airy negli-
gence. The House laughed at him and
his languid ways. Few, if any, saw in
him anything but an amiable and in-
dolent aesthete who had strayed into
politics by accident, who would soon
tire of the game and bury himself
once more among his books and china.

The Beginning.
In 1878 Lord Salisbury made him his
private secretary, and it was in that
capacity that he attended the Berlin
conference. For the next six years he
was an unattached member of the
fourth party, an excellent school for
mastering the pithy and thrust of par-
liamentary debate. He had from the
first the knack of speaking to the
House of Commons, a knack which
many men can never learn at all; and
the parliament of 1883-5 supplied him
with an abundance of subjects. When
the Conservatives came into power he
was installed in one of the many
minor offices that are the stepping-
stone to fame or extinction. He be-
came secretary for Scotland, with a
seat in the cabinet, doing his work
ably enough, but not probably more
ably than a score of other men had
done it before him.

There was nothing so far to make
one think that a brilliant career was
in store for him. His chance came in
1885. Sir Michael Hicks Beach was
obliged by ill-health to retire from the
Irish secretaryship, and Mr. Balfour
was appointed his successor. The
news was the greatest surprise that
had been sprung on English politics
for fifty years and more. That this
slim, delicate "philosopher" should
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Irish Secretary.
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Balfour took his seat on the front
bench amid the derisive howls of the
Irish Nationalists and the dubious en-
couragement of his friends. Lord
Salisbury, however, had made no mis-
take. The mistake was made by the
Irish members, who prophesied that
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never let himself be "drawn." They
could make no headway against his
unvarying good-humor.

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policy that stamped out disor-
der. In the House he simply smiled
while the Irish members raged. Three
months went by, and he had neither
been resigned, nor, on the contrary,
he had ceased to be "Pretty Fanny."
He was now the "base, bloody, and
brutal Balfour," and history was ransack-
ed for tyrants and oppressors to
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